

TOWN OF PLYMOUTH



REPORT OF THE TOWN
OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR
1922

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

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Cemetery Commissioners—Horace M. Saunders, chosen 1920 for three years; Arthur E. Blackmer, chosen 1921 for three years; Richard T. Eldridge, chosen 1922 for three years.

Burial Hill Committee—Cemetery Commissioners.

Agawam and Halfway Pond Herring Fishery Committee—Warren S. Gale, Frank Harlow and Alfred Holmes.

Park Commissioners—Benjamin F. Raymond, chosen 1920 for three years; John Russell, chosen 1921 for three years; Patrick O. Conley, chosen 1922 for three years.

Board of Health—Herbert S. Maxwell, chosen 1920 for three years; Harry R. Talbot, chosen 1921 for three years; Walter D. Shurtleff, chosen 1922 for three years.

Surveyors and Measurers of Lumber—Alvin A. Hall, Cornelius C. Holmes, and Warren S. Bumpus.

Surveyor of Wood and Bark—Alfred C. Finney.

Planning Board—Arthur Lord, LeBaron R. Barker, George L. Gooding, Francis C. Holmes and Arthur E. Blackmer.

Field Drivers and Fence Viewers—Charles H. Raymond and Lewis F. Smith.

Sexton—Arthur L. Howland.

Pound Keeper—Russell L. Dickson.

Committee on Inland Fisheries—James S. Clark, Warren S. Gale and Geoffrey D. Perrior.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Daniel J. Sullivan.

Beach Committee—Selectmen.

Superintendent of Streets—Arthur E. Blackmer

Superintendent of Water Works—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Collector of Water Rates—N. Reeves Jackson.

Harbor Master—Alfred Holmes.

Board of Registration—Herbert W. Clark, appointed 1920 for three years; George F. Anderson, appointed 1921 for three years; Charles H. Sherman, appointed 1922 for three years.

Superintendent of Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries and Burial Hill—Edward F. Stranger.

Superintendent of Chiltonville Cemetery—Charles Rogers.

Superintendent of Manomet Cemetery—George A. Manter.

Superintendent of Cedarville Cemetery—James L. Haskell.

Superintendent of Almshouse—Russell L. Dickson.

Fire Commissioner—Robert C. Harlow.

Town Engineer—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Chief of Police—John Armstrong.

Tree Warden—Abbott A. Raymond.

Forest Warden—Ira C. Ward.

Local Moth Superintendent—Abbott A. Raymond.

Committee on Sewers—Selectmen.

ABSTRACTS OF RECORDS OF 1922.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 25, 1922.

ARTHUR LORD, Moderator.

Article Three:

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: That the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the Town be accepted and placed on file.

Mr. Frank Eastwood read a report of the Plymouth Relocation Committee, and on motion of Charles Otten, Jr., Voted: That the report be accepted as a report of progress.

Article Four:

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: That the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen or a majority thereof, to borrow during the financial year beginning January 1, 1923, in anticipation of the revenue of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, giving the notes of the Town therefor, payable within one year from the dates thereof. All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article Five:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, the following resolution was adopted: That the Town does hereby notify all its departments of its desire that all possible economies be ef-

fect, both in reduction of wages and expenses, and further more expresses serious desire that, as far as possible, all departments make their requirements come within their appropriations.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, the following resolution was adopted: That a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the subject of furnishing light for the Town, and report to the Town at a special meeting.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, the following resolution was adopted: That the duties involved in the care of Shell Fish, in Inspector of the Board of Health and in the Truant Officer of the School Department shall be performed by the appointment of one or more of the regular Police Officers of the Town of Plymouth, acting in the course of their regular duties. One hundred and ninety-one voting in the affirmative and one hundred and eighty in the negative.

Article Six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess it was unanimously voted: That the sum of \$5,000.00 including the dog tax of 1921, amounting to \$1,355.99, be appropriated toward the maintenance of Plymouth Public Library.

Article Seven:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess it was unanimously voted: That a sum not exceeding \$500.00 be appropriated in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article Eight:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess it was unanimously voted: That the following appropriations be made:

Park Department,	\$3,300 00
Parks, for cutting wood,	300 00
Training Green,	300 00

Article Nine:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess it was unanimously voted: That the sum of \$800.00 be appropriated for the

maintenance and improvement of the Stephens Field Playground.

Article Ten:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess it was unanimously voted: That the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$275.00 for defraying expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article Eleven:

To see if the Town will appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars and choose a Town Director.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article Twelve:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess moved that consideration of Articles 12, 13 and 14 be considered together and that the Moderator appoint a committee of five to consider the questions as they now present themselves of quarters for War Veterans and a Town Hall Auditorium, and their connection with the development of the Town Hall Lot. This committee to report to the Town with necessary plans and estimates at a special meeting at as early a date as possible. But the motion was lost.

Mr. Henry Walton moved: That the Town erect and equip a building as a Memorial for properly commemorating the services and sacrifices of Soldiers, Sailors and Marines, under the authority granted by Clause 12, Section 5, of Chapter 40 of the General Laws; said building to be constructed in accordance with the plans submitted to the Town and to be erected on the so-called Lothrop Lot on Court Street; the front line of the building to be approximately sixty feet from the Easterly sidewalk line of Court Street; and the Town appropriate the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping

said building; and that under the authority granted by Clause 7, Section 8 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to exceed the debt limit of the Town for the purpose of raising the money herein appropriated for the erection and equipping of said building.

Mr. William M. Douglass moved to amend by striking out "said building to be constructed in accordance with the plans submitted to the Town and to be erected on the so-called Lothrop Lot on Court Street; the front line of the building to be approximately sixty feet from the Easterly sidewalk line of Court Street." Three hundred and four voting in the affirmative, and one hundred and sixty in the negative, the motion was carried.

Mr. Walton moved to amend by substituting \$80,000.00 for \$60,000.00, but the motion was lost.

The motion of Mr. Walton as amended by Mr. Douglass was then put before the meeting and carried.

Mr. Walton moved; That the Town Treasurer be authorized, when so directed by the Selectmen, to borrow the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars, appropriated at this meeting for the erection and equipping of a building as a Memorial for properly commemorating the services and sacrifices of Soldiers, Sailors and Marines. Bonds or notes shall be issued therefor, signed by the Treasurer, and countersigned by a majority, at least, of the Selectmen, with interest payable semi-annually at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum. Such bonds or notes shall be dated July 1, 1922 and shall be made payable in such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the same in twenty years from their date.

Three hundred and forty-four voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, the motion was carried.

Mr. Walton moved: That whereas, the Town has voted to authorize the construction and equipping of a building

as a suitable Memorial for properly commemorating the services and sacrifices of Soldiers, Sailors and Marines under Article 12, of the Warrant, the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized in accordance with the provisions of Section 105 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws to appoint a temporary Board of Trustees, to have charge and control of the construction of such Memorial and have the custody and care thereof after its construction, said Board to serve until the next annual meeting of the Town.

Mr. William M. Douglass then moved that further consideration be indefinitely postponed and the motion was carried.

Mr. William M. Douglass then moved: That Henry Walton, Fred A. Jenks, Frank Eastwood, Charles H. Robbins and John W. Osterdiep be a committee to investigate the matter of location and plans and report to the Town. And the motion was carried.

Article Thirteen:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article 7, at a Special Town Meeting on the eleventh day of October, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000.00) dollars therefor.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article Fourteen:

Mr. Harry B. Davis moved: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$125,000.00 to erect and equip with suitable seats a municipal auditorium on the Lothrop Lot now owned by the Town on Court Street, said building to be constructed substantially in accordance with plans submitted and now before this meeting; that the construction of said building shall be under the direction of the Selectmen and a Committee of five to be appointed by the Selectmen. The Selectmen and said Committee shall procure bids for the

erection of such a building on the plans submitted and specifications to be furnished by advertising therefor in the usual manner, and are hereby authorized to sign a contract in the name of the Town for the erection of said building at a price not to exceed the amount of the appropriation therefor, and that any contract so made shall cover the cost of the building, 1500 seats and architects and engineering fees. Two hundred and thirty-four voting in the affirmative and eighty-four in the negative, the motion was carried.

Mr. Harry B. Davis moved: To provide funds for the construction and equipment of a municipal auditorium, the Town Treasurer be and hereby is authorized, when so directed by the Selectmen to borrow the sum of \$125,000.00 and to issue therefor bonds or notes of the Town, signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Selectmen. Bonds or notes so issued shall bear interest payable semi-annually at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum, shall bear the date of issue and shall be made payable in such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the entire issue in twenty years from its date. One hundred and seventy-three voting in the affirmative and one hundred and twelve in the negative, the necessary two-thirds not having voted in the affirmative the motion was lost.

Article five was then taken up and Mr. William T. Eldridge moved: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to provide work for Soldiers, and others.

Mr. Edward L. Burgess moved to substitute: That men in need of aid under this proposed appropriation be employed under regular departments of the Town on special work contemplated by special request for funds and be paid from appropriations made for such departments. Forty-three voting in the affirmative and fifty-two in the negative, the motion was lost.

The motion of Mr. Eldridge was then put before the meeting and carried.

Mr. Edward L. Burgess moved that there be appropriated for

Sidewalks	\$3,500 00	Voted.
Sidewalks, Granolithic,	2,000 00	Voted.

Article Fifteen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town accept and allow the layout of Edes Street as laid out by the Selectmen and reported to the Town.

Article Sixteen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town cooperate with the Commonwealth and Plymouth County in erecting a new bridge, over Eel River, on Warren Avenue and appropriate therefor a sum of \$5,500.00.

Article Seventeen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town authorize the Selectmen to stipulate in writing to indemnify and save harmless the Commonwealth against all claims and demands for damages which may be sustained by any person or persons whose property may be affected by the alteration and reconstruction by the Commonwealth of a portion of the highway leading from Plymouth to Bourne.

Article Eighteen:

To see if the Town will vote to surface with asphalt and sand that part of the Bournedale Road between Costello's Corner and the portion of State Highway northerly of the Bourne-Plymouth line near Great Herring Pond, in co-operation with the Commonwealth and Plymouth County and to make an appropriation therefor not exceeding sixteen thousand (16,000) Dollars.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That action under this article be postponed until the Town can be assured of united, favorable action by the other communities interested.

Article Nineteen:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess moved: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed. But the motion was lost.

Mr. Thomas A. Proctor moved: That the Town appropriate the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars to be expended surfacing the White Horse Road. And the motion was carried.

Article Twenty:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$750.00 for laying a sidewalk on the southerly side of Cliff Street.

Article Twenty-One:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town change the number of the School Committee from three members to six members. Sixty-two voting in the affirmative and thirty-one in the negative.

Article Twenty-two:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town accept the provisions of section 132 to 136 of Chapter 140, General Laws, relative to the abatement of the smoke nuisance.

Article Twenty-Three:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town adopt the following by-law:

Article 1. Owners of buildings along the line of public ways shall have such buildings numbered in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Selectmen and in a manner acceptable to said Board.

Article 2. The owner or owners of a building which is not numbered in accordance with the fore-going provisions and who shall fail to have same properly numbered within thirty days after being notified in writing, shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars.

Article Twenty-four:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$400.00 for providing suitable headquarters for Post 40, American Legion, according to provisions of Section 9, Chapter 40, of the General Laws.

Article Twenty-five:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$150.00 for providing suitable headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans, as provided by Chapter 227, Acts of 1921.

Article Twenty-six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, it was unanimously voted: That the Town purchase for the purpose of enlarging the Stephens Field Playground, a lot of land now owned by Edward B. Stephens, Mary S. Baker, et al, containing 29,000 square feet more or less, bounded on the east and south by land of the Town of Plymouth, on the west by land of Jennie H. Chase and Mary A. Sampson, and on the north by land of George A. Nickerson, and to make an appropriation therefor of a sum not exceeding eight hundred (800.00) Dollars.

Article Twenty-Seven:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, it was unanimously voted: That the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$500.00 for laying a Rip Rap Retainer on easterly side of the Stephen's Field Playground.

Article Twenty-eight:

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Public Camping place, either at Morton Park or at the Indian Land in Manomet, as recommended by the Park Commissioners, and make an appropriation for the purpose not exceeding seven hundred (700) Dollars.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article Twenty-nine:

On motion of Charles Otten Jr., it was voted that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved: That it is the sense of this meeting that the Town should acquire for Park purposes, part of the land on the north side of Town Brook between Main Street Extension and Water Street and that the Park Commissioners be requested to prepare the necessary plans and estimates and present them to the voters as provided for in General Laws, Chapter 45, Section 3.

Article Thirty:

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the Town authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to investigate the matter of Town Forests, to ascertain what lands are available for reforestation and expense of same, and report to the proper officials of the Town.

Article Thirty-one:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess, moved: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed. But the motion was lost.

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred (500) dollars toward defraying the expenses of a community nurse.

Article Thirty-two:

To see what action the Town will take in regard to the Sever Street Extension as laid out by the County Commissioners, and make an appropriation therefor.

Article thirty-three:

To see if the Town will discontinue that part of South Russell Street lying westerly of the proposed extension of Sever Street, between Russell and South Russell Streets.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the subject matter of Articles 32 and 33 be referred to the Town Planning Board and the Selectmen for their investigation and report at a later meeting.

Article Thirty-four:

To see what action the Town will take in regard to widening Middle Street, throughout its whole length, on the northerly side thereof, and to raise and appropriate any money which the action of the Town may require.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article Thirty-five:

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the Town erect and maintain floats and landings at the State Pier, and make an appropriation not exceeding seven hundred (700) dollars for the purpose.

Article Thirty-six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town authorize the transfer of a sum not exceeding \$5,000.00 from Reserve from Overlay of Taxes to the Reserve account in the hands of the Advisory and Finance Committee.

Article Thirty-eight:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess, Voted: That the Town authorize the transfer of the unexpended balances to the credit of Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries for Water Pipe, and Cemetery Department, for Monuments to those who served in the Revolution, to the appropriation for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries, as recommended by the Cemetery Commissioners.

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: That the sum of \$363,182.00 be raised and assessed upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

On motion of Nicholas Keefe, Voted: That from March 25, 1922 to March 1923, all Town Meetings of the Town of Plymouth, Mass., be held in the Armory.

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: To adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JUNE 1, 1922.

ARTHUR LORD, Moderator.

Article Two:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars for the Forest Warden's Department.

Article Three:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred (200) dollars for salary of Supervisor of Shores and Flats, from January 1st to May 1st of the current year.

Article Four:

Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved: That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars for Sewers.

Mr. William T. Eldridge moved to amend: That the Town appropriate the unexpended balance, if any, of the appropriation for the new outlet for Sewers and enough additional to make the total \$2,000.00. This amendment being accepted, the motion as amended was put before the meeting and carried.

Article Five:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate for Granolithic Sidewalks all reimbursements for granolithic construction during the current year.

Article Six:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred (500) dollars for the further improvement and maintenance of the Stephens Field Playground.

Article Seven:

Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved: That the Town does not rescind its vote passed at a Special Town Meeting held on the eleventh day of October, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building and mak-

ing an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000.-00) dollars therefor. By consent of the mover of the vote, the moderator submitted the following question to the meeting:

Shall the Town rescind its vote passed at a Special Town Meeting on the eleventh day of October, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars therefor?

A ballot was then had and the ballots were collected and counted by tellers duly appointed and sworn by the Town Clerk to the faithful performance of their duties and the vote announced by the moderator as follows. Two hundred and thirty have voted "Yes" and four hundred and thirty-six have voted "No," and the motion to rescind is defeated.

Article Eight:

To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town in the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars for the purpose of providing funds to erect a Municipal Auditorium in accordance with the vote of the Town passed at the Annual Town Meeting on March 25, 1922.

Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved: That action under this article be postponed; four hundred and thirty-six voting in the affirmative and one hundred thirty-eight in the negative, the motion was carried.

Article Nine:

To see what action the Town will take in regard to the report of the Committee of the Town appointed to investigate the location and plans for the proposed Memorial Building at the Annual Town Meeting, and to make appropriation to carry out action of the Town under this article.

Article Ten:

To see if the Town will authorize the issue of bonds

or notes of the Town to carry out action of the Town under the preceding article.

On motion of Henry Walton, Voted: That the subject matter of these articles be referred to the Town Hall Committee with instruction to report thereon with their recommendations, at a special meeting of the Town to be called by the Selectmen within the next six weeks.

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: That the sum of \$7,700.00 be raised and assessed upon the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth and upon the estates of the non-residents to defray the expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: To adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JULY 27, 1922.

ARTHUR LORD, Moderator.

Article Two:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred (1500) dollars for Roads and Bridges.

Article Three: Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved: That the Town take no action under this article. But the motion was lost.

On motion of Horace M. Saunders, Voted: That the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars be appropriated for grading, surveying, and making of plans in Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries.

Article Four:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred (200) dollars for the Miscellaneous Account.

Article Five:

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the report of the Town Hall Committee as printed, be accepted.

Article Six:

Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved: Whereas at the Special Town Meeting held October 11, 1919, it was voted under Article Seven of the Warrant, to erect a suitable Town Hall with Town offices, as a Memorial Building and to appropriate the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars therefor.

I move that the votes passed under said Article Seven be amended by striking out the words "With Town Offices" wherever the same may appear in said votes so that said votes read as follows:

"Voted: That the Town erect a suitable Town Hall as a Memorial Building."

"Voted: That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be hereby appropriated for the construction of a Town Hall, and that to provide money for said purpose, the Selectmen be and are hereby authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, principal payable fifteen thousand dollars at the expiration of each year from date of issue for twenty years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum payable semi-annually, such bonds or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Selectmen. The Selectmen are hereby authorized to sell said bonds or notes at public or private sale, upon such terms and conditions as they think proper provided that such bonds or notes shall not be sold for less than par value."

Mr. John D. Brewer moved to amend by inserting after the words "Memorial Building", the words, "To the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines of Plymouth in all wars that our country has been engaged in." And the motion to amend was carried.

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the vote on this article be taken by ballot.

The motion of Mr. Richards as amended was then put before the meeting, and two hundred and thirteen voting in the affirmative, and one hundred and fifty-two in the negative, the motion was carried.

Article Seven:

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the vote on this and the next two articles be taken by ballot.

Mr. Alfred P. Richards moved that the Town authorize the Town Hall Committee to erect a Town Hall as a Memorial Building substantially in accordance with the plans submitted to the Town.

Mr. Henry Walton moved to amend by inserting after the words "Memorial Building," the words, "To the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines of Plymouth in all the wars that our country has been engaged in." And the motion to amend was carried.

The motion of Mr. Richards as amended was then put before the meeting and one hundred ninety-one voted in the affirmative, and one hundred and eighty-nine in the negative, the motion was carried.

Article Eight:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve (12) at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

On motion of Henry Walton, Voted: That action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article Nine:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars for a Municipal Auditorium.

Mr. Harry B. Davis moved: That action under this article

be indefinitely postponed. Two hundred voting in the affirmative and one hundred and forty in the negative, the motion was carried.

Article Ten:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell the old engine house and lot on Franklin Street.

On motion of George B. Howland, Voted: That the sum of \$2,700.00 be raised and assessed upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

Voted: To adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, NOV. 25, 1922.

ARTHUR LORD, Moderator.

Article Two:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-five hundred (2500) dollars for the Police Department.

Article Three:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifteen hundred (1500) dollars for the Fire Department.

Article Four:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six hundred (600) dollars for the Forest Warden's Department.

Article Five:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-four hundred (2400) dollars, for the Health Department.

Article Six:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four hundred (400) dollars for Sewers.

Article Seven:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum of eight hundred (800) dollars for the Water Department.

Article Eight:

On motion of William T. Eldridge, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding four hundred (400) dollars for Granolithic Sidewalks.

Article Nine:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town appropriate from money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred (200) dollars for use of the Park Commissioners in preparing plans and estimates for acquiring land on both sides of Town Brook for Park Purposes.

Article Ten:

On motion of Alfred P. Richards, Voted: That the Town authorize the sale of a lot of land situated on the south side of Wenham Street in East Carver, containing one-half acre more or less, acquired by the Town through the Overseers of the Poor as reimbursement for aid rendered.

Article Eleven:

Mr. Alfred P. Richards then moved: That the Town amend the votes passed at the Special Town Meeting, held October 11, 1919, under Article Seven of the Warrant of said meeting, so that the votes shall read as follows:

Voted: That the Town erect a suitable Town Hall as a Memorial Building."

"Voted: That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the construction of a Town Hall, and to provide necessary funds for said purpose, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, principal payable fifteen thousand dollars at the expiration of each year from date of issue, for twenty years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually. Any action taken by the Town relating to the borrowing for Town Hall purposes, inconsistent herewith is hereby rescinded."

Upon a canvass of the votes brought in by the tellers, it was found that one hundred ninety-one had voted in the affirmative and two hundred sixty-six in the negative, and the motion was lost.

Article Twelve:

To see if the Town will authorize the Town Hall Committee to erect a Town Hall as a Memorial Building substantially in accordance with the plans submitted to the Town.

No action taken under this article.

Article Thirteen:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

On motion of Andrew J. Carr, Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article Fourteen:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars for a Municipal Auditorium.

On motion of Harry B. Davis, Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

On motion of Alfred S. Burns, Voted: To adjourn.

REPORT OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.

FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, TO BE HELD
MARCH 25, 1922.

NOTE:—The Advisory and Finance Committee is a body of 15 men appointed by the Moderator of the Annual Town Meeting, under a statute of the Commonwealth adopted by the Town some twenty years ago. Its personnel changes annually and the members serve without pay. Perhaps the principal value of the committee to the Town lies in the fact that it places a group of authorized citizens in a position to investigate and analyze projects and appropriations proposed for the Town's action, and to conduct hearings thereon, in a thorough manner usually impossible in town meetings. The recommendations submitted are generally those that might be expected from any like number of interested citizens seriously deliberating on the facts presented.

At this particular time when the incomes of every wage-earner, merchant and manufacturer have been so seriously curtailed by business conditions, the Committee feels that it is but interpreting the wishes of the citizens in recommending that the tax burden be kept as light as possible, compatible with the Town's best welfare. Let this be accomplished by effecting every sensible economy, eliminating unnecessary expenditure, by a general scaling downward of the costs of each and every department's work and reducing appropriations where such action will not disadvantageously effect needful service.

In other words, we feel the Town should lower the cost of carrying on its affairs to meet the inevitably lowered earnings of its citizens.

In this spirit the Committee submits its recommendations for the Town's consideration.

Article 5. To make the necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes, and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient.

DEPARTMENT EXPENSES.

In view of the large total of the appropriations asked for, and the consequent high tax rate for the Town, and considering that, because of widespread depression, many of our townspeople are unemployed, that wages have been reduced, and that business in general is being conducted with little or no profit, all of which reduces the ability of our citizens to pay their tax bills, the Committee recommends that the Town adopt the following resolution:

“That the Town does hereby notify all its departments of its desire that all possible economies be effected, both in reduction of wages and expenses, and furthermore expresses serious desire that, as far as possible, all departments make their requirements come within their appropriations.”

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

As a result of a conference with officials of the Plymouth Electric Light Co., the Committee recommends adoption of the following resolution:

“That a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the subject of furnishing light for the Town, and report to the Town at a special meeting, and that the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated for lighting pending a report of said committee.”

CARE OF SHELL FISH; INSPECTOR OF THE BOARD
OF HEALTH; TRUANT OFFICER OF THE
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

As a matter of reducing expense and curtailing number of offices, the Committee recommends adoption of the following resolution:

“That the duties involved in the care of Shell Fish, in Inspector of the Board of Health and in the Truant Officer of the School Department shall be performed by the appointment of one or more of the regular Police Officers of the Town of Plymouth acting in the course of their regular duties.”

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

The Committee views with concern the rapid increase in School Department expenditures in recent years, as indicated by the approximate appropriations shown in the following list:

1912 School Appropriation,	\$64,454 64
1914 School Appropriation,	71,018 48
1916 School Appropriation,	87,018 47
1918 School Appropriation,	120,716 60
1919 School Appropriation,	140,618 46
1920 School Appropriation,	179,728 47
1921 School Appropriation,	211,168 67

It is understood that in the last ten years the net increase in the school population is about 364 pupils. The appropriation asked for 1922 (\$214,635), almost equals the Assessors' total Warrant for as recent a year as 1914, which amounted to \$215,244.32.

The Committee earnestly urges a drastic curtailment in expenses, with a policy of consolidation, and elimination of dispensable features, especially as affects the High School,

without interfering with the essential and fundamental educational training of the Town's youth.

The Committee recommends the following appropriations for the various departments:

	Asked for	Recommended by Finance Committee
Selectmen's Department,	\$2,200 00	\$2,200 00
Accounting Department,	1,700 00	1,700 00
Treasury Department,	1,500 00	1,500 00
Tax Collector's Department,	2,150 00	2,150 00
Assessors' Department,	5,200 00	5,200 00
Law Department,	800 00	800 00
Town Clerk's Department,	1,450 00	1,450 00
Engineering Department,	900 00	900 00
Street Line Survey,	150 00	50 00
Planning Board,	100 00	100 00
Election and Registration,	1,200 00	1,200 00
Maintenance of Town House,	2,100 00	1,800 00
Police Department,	17,000 00	15,000 00
Police Department for Signal System,	12,000 00	.....
Fire Department,	28,139 00	24,700 00
Fire Department for New Pump,	1,800 00	1,800 00
Sealing Weights and Measures,	2,700 00	2,200 00
Moth Suppression,	6,000 00	5,400 00
Tree Warden's Department,	2,500 00	2,250 00
Tree Warden's Department, Planting Shade Trees,	500 00	150 00
Forest Warden's Department,	3,000 00	2,000 00
Shell Fish Department,	600 00	.....
Inland Fisheries,	200 00	100 00
Plymouth County Farm Bureau,	250 00	.....
Plymouth County Hospital Main- tenance,	7,817 03	7,817 03

Health Department,	15,000 00	14,000 00
Health Department for 1921 Bills,	858 91	858 91
Community Nurse,	500 00	.....
Public Sanitaries,	2,000 00	1,800 00
Sewers,	3,000 00	3,000 00
New Outlet for Main Sewer,	5,000 00	5,000 00
Roads and Bridges,	40,000 00	40,000 00
Lincoln and Union Street Macadam,	5,000 00	.....
Resurfacing Court Street,	5,000 00	5,000 00
Resurfacing Water Street,	3,000 00	3,000 00
White Horse Road,	3,500 00	.....
Bournedale Road,	16,000 00	.....
Eel River Bridge,	5,500 00	5,500 00
Sidewalks,	3,500 00	3,500 00
Sidewalks, Granolithic,	3,000 00	2,000 00
Sidewalks on Cliff Street,	750 00	750 00
Snow and Ice Removal,	2,000 00	2,000 00
Street Sprinkling,	4,500 00	4,000 00
Street Lighting,	14,000 00	10,000 00
Harbor Master,	150 00	150 00
Poor Department,	17,000 00	17,000 00
Mothers' Aid,	3,500 00	3,500 00
Military Aid,	92 50	92 50
Soldiers' Relief,	6,161 16	6,161 16
Providing Employment for Soldiers and Others,	5,000 00	.....
School Department,	214,635 00	202,635 00
School Department for 1921 Bills,	3,351 14	3,351 14
Plymouth Public Library (includ- ing Dog Tax, \$1,355.99),	4,500 00	5,000 00
Manomet Public Library,	500 00	500 00
Park Department,	4,200 00	3,300 00
Park Department, for Cutting Wood in Park,	300 00	300 00

Training Green,	300 00	300 00
Stephens Field,	1,800 00	800 00
Stephens Field for Cement Retain- ing Wall,	3,000 00	500 00
Stephens Field for Purchase of Land,	800 00	800 00
Public Camping Places,	700 00	.....
Providing Headquarters for Plym- outh Post No. 40, American Legion,	1,500 00	400 00
Providing Headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans,	150 00	150 00
Sexton,	150 00	150 00
Memorial Day,	275 00	275 00
Miscellaneous Account,	3,500 00	3,500 00
Landing Floats,	700 00	.....
Reserve Account (from Reserve Overlay),	5,000 00	5,000 00
Water Department; Maintenance,	19,000 00	19,000 00
Water Department; Construction,	6,000 00	6,000 00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Ceme- teries,	10,000	9,000 00
Burial Hill Cemetery,	1,700 00	1,700 00
Chiltonville, Manomet, Cedarville and South Pond Cemeteries,	300 00	300 00
Town Debt and Interest,	48,000 00	48,000 00
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	\$596,329 74	\$518,740 74

Article 6. To take such action as the Town may see fit in aid of the Plymouth Public Library.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$5,000.00, including the Dog Tax of 1921, amounting to \$1,355.99, be appropriated for the maintenance of Plymouth Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not

exceeding five hundred (500) dollars in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article 8. To see what appropriation the Town will make for the care and improvement of the various parks and of the Training Green.

The Committee recommends the following appropriations: Park Department, \$3,300.00; cutting wood in Parks, \$300.00; Training Green, \$300.00.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding eighteen hundred (1800) dollars for maintenance and improvement of the Stephens Field Playground.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$800.00 be appropriated for the maintenance and improvement of the Stephens Field Playground.

Article 10. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred and seventy-five (275) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$275.00 be appropriated for defraying the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, and choose a Town Director.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take under authority granted under clause 12, section 5, chapter 40, of the General Laws of Massachusetts in regard to purchasing and equipping a building or providing a suitable location and erecting and equipping a building commemorating the services and sacrifices of the soldiers, sailors and marines who

have served the Country in war; to make an appropriation therefor and to authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the Town for said purpose.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article 7, at a Special Town Meeting on the eleventh day of October, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building, and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars therefor. By petition.

Article 14. To see what action the Town will take for the erection of a municipal auditorium, and to make an appropriation therefor, and to authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the Town for said purpose. By petition.

The situation produced as a result of the proposals of Articles 12, 13, and 14 is rather complex. The Town has voted to erect a Memorial Town Hall, with offices, on the Lothrop lot which was acquired as a "Town Hall Lot." The Town is now being asked, by these Articles, to rescind that vote and on this lot to erect a War Veterans Memorial Building, and to erect a Municipal Auditorium.

This Committee feels that all or some of these things may be desirable; that the Town owes obligation to its War Veterans; that a gathering place for the Town has a great deal to recommend it; that there may be a moral obligation on the part of the Town in connection with its share of the Tercentenary Observation; but the committee also feels that it and the Town have had insufficient time to consider the subject, for all these proposals are inextricably tied together. One cannot be considered without considering the others.

Further, there is proposed a building or group of buildings in a conspicuous location, the architectural development of which should be carefully considered, and as a whole.

The Committee therefore recommends that the following action be taken under Articles 12, 13, and 14:

“That the Moderator appoint a Committee of Five to consider the questions as they now present themselves of quarters for War Veterans and a Town Hall or Auditorium and their connection with the development of the Lothrop Lot. This committee to report to the Town with necessary plans and estimates at a special meeting at as early a date as possible.”

Article 15. To see if the Town will accept and allow the layout of Edes Street, as laid out by the Selectmen and and reported to the Town.

The Committee recommends that the Town accept and authorize the layout of Edes Street as reported by the Selectmen.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to erect a new bridge on the State Highway on Warren Avenue over Eel River, in co-operation with the Commonwealth and Plymouth County, and to make an appropriation therefor not exceeding fifty-five hundred (\$500) dollars.

The Committee recommends that the Town co-operate with the Commonwealth and Plymouth County in erecting a new bridge over Eel River, on Warren Avenue, and appropriate therefor a sum not exceeding \$5,500.00.

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to stipulate in writing to indemnify and save harmless the Commonwealth against all claims and demands for damages which may be sustained by any person or persons whose property may be affected by the alteration and reconstruction by the Commonwealth of a portion of the highway leading from Plymouth to Bourne.

The Committee recommends that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act according to the provisions of this article.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to surface with asphalt and sand that part of the Bournedale Road between Costello's Corner and the portion of State Highway northerly

of the Bourne-Plymouth line near Great Herring Pond, in co-operation with the Commonwealth and Plymouth County, and to make an appropriation therefor not exceeding sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars.

Inasmuch as the expediency of carrying out the provisions of this article depends upon favorable action to be taken by the Commonwealth, and by Barnstable County and communities therein, as well as by Plymouth County, the Committee recommends postponement until the Town can be assured of united, favorable action by the other communities interested.

Article 19. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of thirty-five hundred (3500) dollars to be expended surfacing the White Horse Road. By petition.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 20. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars to be expended in laying a sidewalk on the southerly side of Cliff Street. By petition.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$750.00 for laying a sidewalk on the southerly side of Cliff Street.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of members of the School Committee. By petition.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of sections 132 to 136 of chapter 140, General Laws, relative to the abatement of the smoke nuisance.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article 23. To see if the Town will adopt a By-Law, under section 21 of chapter 40 of the General Laws, requiring and regulating the numbering of buildings on the line of public

ways, and prescribing by whom and the method in which it shall be done.

That the Town accept the following By-Law under Article 23.

Article 1. Owners of buildings along the line of public ways shall have such buildings numbered in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Selectmen and in a manner acceptable to said Board.

Article 2. The owner or owners of a building which is not numbered in accordance with the foregoing provisions and who shall fail to have same properly numbered within thirty days after being notified in writing, shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars.

Article 24. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for Post 40, American Legion a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) dollars, as provided in section 9, chapter 40 of the General Laws.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$400.00 for providing suitable headquarters for Post 40, American Legion, according to provisions of Statute.

Article 25. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty (150) dollars, as provided in chapter 227, Acts of 1921.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$150.00 for providing suitable headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans, according to provisions in chapter 227, Acts of 1921.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to purchase, for the purpose of enlarging the Stephens Field Playground, a lot of land now owned by Edward B. Stephens, Mary S. Baker, et al., containing 29,000 square feet more or less, bounded on the east and south by land of the Town of Plym-

outh, on the west by land of Jennie H. Chase and Mary A. Sampson and on the north by land of George A. Nickerson, and to make an appropriation therefor of a sum not exceeding eight hundred (800) dollars.

The Committee recommends that the Selectmen be authorized to purchase parcel of land described in this article, for the purpose of enlarging Stephens Field Playground, and that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$800.00 therefor.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to build a concrete retaining wall on the Stephens Field Playground and make an appropriation therefor not exceeding three thousand (3,000) dollars.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$500.00 for laying a "Rip Rap" retainer on the easterly side of the Stephens Field Playground.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Public Camping Place, either at Morton Park or at the Indian Land in Manomet, as recommended by the Park Commissioners, and make an appropriation for the purpose not exceeding seven hundred (700) dollars.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five hundred (500) dollars toward defraying the expenses of a community nurse.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 32. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the Sever Street Extension as laid out by the County Commissioners, and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 33. To see if the Town will discontinue that part of South Russell Street lying westerly of the proposed extension of Sever Street, between Russell and South Russell Streets.

The Committee recommends that the subject matter of Articles 32 and 33 be referred to the Town Planning Board and the Selectmen for their investigations and report at a future meeting.

Article 34. To see what action the Town will take in regard to widening Middle Street, throughout its whole length, on the northerly side thereof, and to raise and appropriate any money which the action of the Town may require. By petition.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 35. To see if the Town will erect and maintain floats and landings at the State Pier, and make an appropriation not exceeding seven hundred (700) dollars for the purpose. By petition.

The Committee recommends that the Selectmen be authorized to take such action as they may deem necessary to provide suitable Landing at the State Pier.

Article 36. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars from the Reserve from Overlayings of Taxes to the Reserve Account in the hands of the Advisory and Finance Committee.

The Committee recommends that the Town authorize the transfer of a sum not exceeding \$5,000.00 from the Reserve from Overlay of Taxes to the Reserve Account.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate all or any part of the following unused balances now standing on the books to reduce the tax levy of the current year.

Pilgrim Wharf,	\$50 85
Reception to Military and Naval Forces,	577 27
Health Department, Land for Dump,	200 00
Water Street Extension,	13 11
Sandwich Street, Jabez Corner to Jordan Hospital,	6 82
Shore Property,	100 00

Anchorage Basin,	4 93
Fireproofing School Basements,	10 81
Chiltonville Grammar School, from sale of building and land,	220 00
Jabez Corner School Lot, from sale of portion of lot,	65 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,248 79

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the several amounts listed in this article to reduce the tax levy of the current year.

Article 38. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of the unexpended balances to the credit of Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries for Water Pipe, and Cemetery Department for Monuments to those who served in the Revolution, to the appropriation for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries, as recommended by the Cemetery Commissioners.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Respectfully submitted:

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE,
TOWN OF PLYMOUTH,

Edward L. Burgess, Chairman; Wilfrid O. Broadbent, Secretary; Ellis W. Brewster, Joseph T. Collingwood, Oliver L. Edes, Wm. H. Harriman, Edward C. Holmes, Isaac B. Holmes, Henry W. Royal, Harold J. Weston, Sumner A. Chapman, Alvin M. Watkins, John B. Finney.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JUNE 1, 1922.

Article Two:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars for the Forest Warden's Department.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article Three:

To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred (200) dollars for salary of Supervisor of Shores and Flats, from January 1st to May 1st of the current year.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article Four:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two thousand (2,000) dollars for sewers.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article Five:

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate for Granolithic sidewalks all reimbursements for granolithic construction during the current year.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article Six:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars for the further improvement and maintenance of the Stephens Field Playground.

The Committee recommends favorable action under this article.

Article Seven:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Seven, at a Special Town Meeting on the 11th day of October, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building, and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand dollars therefor.

The Committee recommends that the vote be not rescinded.

It is proposed by this article, now that the appropriations of State and Nation have been expended and the work and preservations and adornment of the historic locality completed, that the Town of Plymouth shall immediately repeal all action looking towards a Memorial Hall which they promised and relying upon which the State and Nation made their contributions, abandon the work to which they were pledged and say in substance to the State and Nation and to the numerous societies who have contributed to the memorial of the greatest event in the history of the Town, the Town will break its promises and its pledges and contribute nothing from its treasury to any permanent memorial. Moneys appropriated by State and Nation upon promises of the Town to appropriate and erect a memorial, places the Town under an obligation to erect such a memorial. The Committee has therefore recommended that the vote be not rescinded.

Article Eight:

To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town in the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars for the purpose of providing funds to erect a Municipal Auditorium in accordance with the vote of the Town passed at the Annual Town Meeting on March 25, 1922.

In view of the recommendation under Article Seven, the Committee recommends no action be taken under this article.

Respectfully submitted,

Oliver L. Edes, William H. Harriman, Alfred P. Richards,
Henry W. Royal, Alfred S. Burns, Frederick R. Snow,
Isaac B. Holmes, Edward C. Holmes, Willard H. Parsons,
James S. Swanton, Charles R. Wood, John A. Harris.

FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING TO BE HELD
JULY 27, 1922.

Article Two:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) dollars for Roads and Bridges.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Three:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding one thousand (1,000) dollars for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries.

The Committee recommends no action be taken under this article. (Harris and I. B. Holmes of the Committee, dissent.)

Article Four:

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred (200) dollars for the Miscellaneous Account.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Six:

To see if the Town will vote to amend the votes passed at the Special Town Meeting held October 11, 1919, under Article Seven (7) of the Warrant of said meeting, by striking out "With Town Offices" wherever same may appear in said votes so that said votes shall read as follows:

"Voted: That the Town erect a suitable Town Hall as a Memorial Building."

"Voted: That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be hereby appropriated for the construction of a Town Hall, and that to provide money for said purpose, the Selectmen be and are hereby authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, principal payable fifteen thousand dollars, at the expiration of each year from date of issue for twenty years.

bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum payable semi-annually, such bonds or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Selectmen. The Selectmen are hereby authorized to sell said bonds or notes at public or private sale, upon such terms and conditions as they think proper provided that such bonds or notes shall not be sold for less than par value.’’

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Eight:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve (12) at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Nine:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars for a Municipal Auditorium.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Ten:

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the old engine house and lot on Franklin Street. By petition.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken under this article.

Respectfully submitted,

A. Perry Richards, Alfred S. Burns, Frederick R. Snow,
Isaac B. Holmes, Edward C. Holmes, Henry W. Royal,
James S. Swanton, Charles R. Wood, John A. Harris, Earl
W. Gooding, John B. Finney.

FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING TO BE HELD
NOVEMBER 25, 1922.

Article Two:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred (2500) dollars for the Police Department.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Three:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) dollars for the Fire Department.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Four:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding six hundred (600) dollars for the Forest Warden's Department.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Five:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding twenty-four hundred (2400) dollars for the Health Department.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Six:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the

treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding four hundred (400) dollars for Sewers.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Seven:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding eight hundred (800) dollars for the Water Department.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Eight:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding four hundred (400) dollars for Granolithic Sidewalks.

The Committee recommends no action be taken under this article.

Article Nine:

To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding two hundred (200) dollars for use of the Park Commissioners in preparing plans and estimates for acquiring land on both sides of Town Brook for Park Purposes.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Ten:

To see if the Town will authorize the sale of a lot of land situated on the south side of Wenham street in East Carver, containing one-half acre more or less, acquired by the Town through the Overseers of the Poor as reimbursement for aid rendered.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Eleven:

To see if the Town will vote to amend the votes passed at

the Special Town Meeting, held October 11, 1919, under Article Seven of the Warrant of said meeting, so that votes shall read as follows:

“Voted: That the Town erect a suitable Town Hall as a Memorial Building.

Voted: That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the construction of a Town Hall, and to provide necessary funds for said purpose, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, principal payable fifteen thousand dollars at the expiration of each year from date of issue, for twenty years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually. Any action taken by the Town relating to the borrowing for Town Hall purposes inconsistent herewith is hereby rescinded.”

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Twelve:

To see if the Town will authorize the Town Hall Committee to erect a Town Hall as a Memorial Building substantially in accordance with the plans submitted to the Town.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Thirteen:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Article Fourteen:

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars for a municipal auditorium.

The Committee recommends that favorable action be taken under this article.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred P. Richards, Alfred S. Burns, Edward C. Holmes,
Henry W. Royal, James S. Swanton, John A. Harris,
Charles R. Wood, Willard H. Parsons, John B. Finney,
Isaac B. Holmes, Earl W. Gooding, Frederic R. Snow.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF TOWN OF PLYMOUTH ON MEMORIAL BUILDING

At the last Town Meeting, held on June 1st, the voters of the Town indicated rather clearly their desire to have a Memorial Hall erected on the Lothrop lot, rather than use this site for a Veterans' Memorial Building and a Municipal Auditorium. The Town Hall Building Committee gave serious consideration to a reasonable solution of the mixed situation in which the Town was placed and came to the conclusion that the best thing for the Town would be to combine the Veterans' Memorial Building and the Memorial Town Hall, substituting accommodations for the veterans in place of the Town Offices, as originally proposed. Sketches embodying this combination were prepared by the architects, submitted to and fully discussed with representatives of the veterans' organizations, and were fully endorsed by them.

Sketch plans and a perspective of the proposed building are presented at this meeting and although complete plans and specifications have not been worked out, because it hardly seemed in order to go as far as that before such a building had been authorized, still, careful estimates have been made and there is every reason to believe that the building can be erected for a sum not to exceed the appropriation.

This building would seem to adequately meet the needs of the veterans and the Town for many years to come and the Committee now awaits further action by and instruction from the Town.

Frank Eastwood, C. D. Howland, George L. Gooding, F. C. Holmes, John H. Damon, L. B. R. Barker, Andrew J. Carr, John J. O'Brien, Committee.

John J. O'Brien, Committee.

July 27, 1922.

RELOCATION COMMITTEE REPORT,

MARCH 25, 1922.

The Plymouth Relocation Committee, appointed at a Special Town Meeting held January 29, 1921, to represent the Town in all matters pertaining to the relocation of wharf facilities, submits the following report:

At various meetings we have had representatives of the coal and fish industry tell us of their needs and have collected in this way much data which may be used to work out plans for wharf facilities.

Representatives of this Committee have conferred with Governor Cox, with John N. Cole, Commissioner of Public Works for Massachusetts; with Lieutenant-Colonel Willing, United States District Engineer; with Congressman Walsh and with representatives of the War Department, to obtain their advice and counsel as to the best way to get assistance from the State and Federal Governments.

During our first conference with Commissioner Cole, it developed that the Plymouth Cordage Company was interested in the study of developing their wharf facilities so that larger vessels could be brought direct to their docks and Mr. Cole wondered if the two projects might not be combined. At his suggestion this Committee held further meetings at which the plans of the Cordage Company were presented.

Lieutenant-Colonel Willing had made a report to the War Department recommending a channel 15 feet deep and 150 feet wide, from the present State Pier to a dock to be built at the foot of Park Avenue. His recommendation was that the Nation and the State share equally in the cost of the

channel estimated to cost \$102,000, and that the Town of Plymouth build the wharf.

At the suggestion of Commissioner Cole, your Committee has written to him asking that a further and more detailed study be made by his department of the conditions in Plymouth Harbor with special reference to a proper kind of channel improvement and water front construction to meet the commercial needs of Plymouth.

Lieutenant-Colonel Willing has been instructed by the War Department to make a further study of conditions in Plymouth Harbor and it is our understanding that Commissioner Cole and Lieutenant-Colonel Willing will co-operate in their study. A public hearing is to be held by Lieutenant-Colonel Willing in Plymouth, on Saturday, April 8th at 1 p. m., in the High School Building. All interested parties will have an opportunity to present their views at this time.

On account of the additional study which the Federal and State Governments desire to make of our water front situation, your committee finds that it will not be able to present any definite plans to this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Eastwood, Chairman, Arthur E. Blackmer, E. W. Brewster, Harry B. Davis, C. F. Gardner, Charles W. Gifford, Charles Otten, Jr.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

After the strenuous year of 1921 it might have been reasonably expected that the following year would be by contrast a very dull one. To the contrary it has proved to be almost as busy a period as the one preceeding. There have been no such individual crowded days but on the whole there has been a steady flow of traffic into and through the Town and the dealers in seasonable goods have enjoyed a good year.

The traffic conditions have been orderly and there has been little disturbance of the orderly flow of automobiles and trucks that have passed through. It has been necessary to keep officers constantly at several points on the highways and this will probably be the practice in the future. Auto travel has become so heavy that constant supervision has become imperative.

The parking situation has also been acute. We unfortunately have no such vacant places in the heart of the business section as some Towns enjoy. It has been absolutely necessary to limit the time that a car may stand on the Main street to twenty minutes and to prohibit parking in other places. Until this problem is worked out there will be some unsettled conditions. This is a matter that is employing the best minds in all Towns and Cities. And a continued increase in the number of machines will probably result in an absolute prohibition of all cars within certain limits. This while working a hardship on car owners is becoming necessary from the standpoint of safety to the general public, both as regards fire and accident.

The general condition of the streets and roads is good. A section of Court and Main streets was rebuilt with a mixed

surface. This has proved to be a very satisfactory piece of work and it is hoped to continue until the whole surface of Court Street is made good. It is unreasonable to expect that all of the streets can be paved with the latest type of surface, but by building the main streets well and then making the side streets fairly good by oiling it is thought that a general condition of fairly good streets can be maintained at a reasonable expense and not put too much of a burden on the tax payers.

The Town must in the near future face a condition on Alden and Court Streets where the surface drainage is insufficient to carry off the water that accumulates in a hard rain. Alden street, which takes all the water from as far as Oak Ridge and also carries a lot from Standish Avenue, is all carried under Court Street at the corner of Allerton and Court in a pipe. This is entirely inadequate and in a rain the water overflows the sidewalk and runs into the adjacent yards. It is hoped that a plan can be worked out to take some of this water off before it gets to the corner and thus relieve the situation. On Court Street near the North Plymouth Garage the grade of the street is so flat (about four inches in 100 feet) that the flow is very slow and the water ponds there and fills the street covering the sidewalk at times. This can only be cured by a large pipe laid for a distance of several hundred feet until the slope at Cherry Street is reached. These projects are expensive but there seems to be no other solution and it is hoped to do one or both of them this year.

It will also be desirable to rebuild the bridge on Water Street. This has been replanked a number of times but the travel is so large and the type of vehicles using that route so heavy that a plank surface soon wears out. The abutments are good and all that is necessary is to rebuild the span with a cement slab on iron beams, and that will be taken care of indefinitely.

The Eel River Bridge has been rebuilt this year in co-

laboration with the State and County and is now in fine condition. The roadbed has been widened and a sidewalk made and it is a creditable piece of work. The State, which formerly stopped its State Road fifty feet on either side of the bridge, has taken over the bridge and the Town is now relieved of further care.

The present condition of the so-called Town Hall proposition, is one well calculated to exercise the brain power of all the citizens. The Town Counsel advises this board that the matter has been so much complicated by amendments and changes that it is extremely improbable that any action of the Town could be made legal. It appears to the Selectmen that the only logical course is to rescind all of the votes that now encumber the records of the Town. Then if the Town wishes to build a Town Hall or Town Halls it will be free to adopt any plan that appears feasible and suitable, and will not be embarrassed by previous plans that can never be adapted to fill any other purpose than the one they were designed for. There has been a great deal of time spent on these three plans that are now before us and the concensus of opinion is that no legal plan can be worked out that will accomplish what the people desire. It would seem that the original plan for a Town Hall with offices is entirely impractical from the standpoint of expense, and the action of the Town at its previous Special Meetings has so complicated matters that the other projects are so mixed up that the best solution would be as suggested above to clean them all off the slate and start anew with such plan or plans as may be found desirable. The Selectmen have no substitute plan to offer, but make the above statement in order to present to the voters what in their opinion is the best solution of the difficulty. It is to be hoped that the Town will dispose of this matter now and relieve the various committees of the responsibility that they are now under.

There is one phase of the financial situation of the Town

that it would be advisable for every voter to give his careful consideration too. While the position of the Town is now a very creditable one, there is a constantly increasing expenditure facing us. It is very probable that a new schoolhouse will have to be built in the near future. It is very possible that it may be found advantageous to build a wharf. Either of these or both will add materially to the Town's annual charges for debt and interest and by just so much reduce our available cash for other purposes. There is a well grounded feeling of uneasiness all over the country at the constantly increasing tax rate. Public extravagance is almost a by-word and it would seem to be the best procedure to go slow and not jump into expenditures that while seemingly of benefit to the Town are still more than we can afford. Taxes will soon at the present rate reach a point where they will be a very heavy burden on the wage earner and the smaller paid professional men. It would seem to be very unwise to create a debt for things which while desirable enough in themselves still can be done without at nothing more than a slight inconvenience.

The coming season judging by the last, should be one of local prosperity. The various manufacturing plants are fairly busy. Work is not so hard to obtain as formerly and judging by the reports of contractors who have been here, ordinary labor is not too plentiful. The summer business in caring for strangers is constantly increasing and those who cater to this class of visitors have an ever growing list of patrons. It is not wise to disregard this astonishingly large volume of money that is brought here each season. It provides work for many people and numerous of our citizens who have no other means of earning, have benefited from this condition.

The Town at its last Annual Meeting made a liberal appropriation for the purpose of providing work for veterans of the late war who were unable to secure other employment.

This has proved to be a very excellent method of giving them such assistance as they required. The relief has been given and in return the Town has had the benefit of their labor in many ways and the stigma of accepting public charity has been removed.

We think that Plymouth is now in a position to make a reasonable appropriation annually for the proper celebration of Forefathers' Day. It would seem that this was the one day in our year when the Town should rightfully be expected to make a suitable observance. And we would recommend that a small sum be set aside for this purpose. Our Pilgrim history is one of our greatest assets and it is not wise to leave to private enterprise, the burden of raising funds for such purposes.

The figures in connection with the work of the different departments are all shown in the report of the Accountant and we have refrained from putting them in here. They can readily be found later on by those interested. In conclusion we wish to thank all the different officers and departments who have worked well in co-operation with the Selectmen the past year and made for the successful conclusion which we flatter ourselves has obtained.

We would recommend to the voters favorable action on the following matters:

The Court Street drain.

The Alden Street drain.

Taking a small piece of land on Union Street for widening.

The widening on Court Street at North Spooner Street.

The latter being almost imperative to relieve the congestion of travel in this one of the narrowest places on our main thoroughfare.

The Court and Alden Street drains will have to be done at some future time and it would seem to be better economy to do these now than to wait and find that other surface drains were also necessary and have them all to do at one time. We

have to face the fact that a system of surface drainage has got to be installed sooner or later, and it will be less of a burden on the Town to do a little of it each year than to have it all come at the same time with the consequent large sum of money involved amounting probably to thousands of dollars and necessitating a bond issue. The Union Street widening merely means taking a small strip of land that now protrudes into the street and will simply align this with the rest of the property along the street and enable us to carry the new sidewalk around the corner from Water Street.

We have installed a number of new street lights in pursuance of the avowed policy of the board to put light wherever needed. At the present time the Electric Light Co. has extensive plans for an improvement in service but there is a difference of opinion as to how these changes shall be made. It is probable, however, that some solution of the controversy will be worked out and the Town will be relieved of the occasional shortage of current, which has been noticeable in the past.

A list of the amounts recommended by the different departments will be found farther on. We hope that every voter will give these his careful attention and be prepared to cast his vote for what he believes to be the best interests of the Town. It is to be hoped that you will not this year reduce the amount asked for sidewalk purposes. Sidewalks benefit more people than any other one thing and we want to have in the end an unbroken hard surfaced walk from the Eel River Bridge to the Kingston line, and after that such side streets as would appear to be proper.

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
HENRY W. BARNES, JR.,
JOSIAH A. ROBBINS,
D. H. CRAIG,
FRANK EASTWOOD.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS AND TOWN ENGINEER.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the report of the Street and Engineering Departments for the year ending December 31st, 1922.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF ROAD WORK.

COURT STREET, BETWEEN SHIRLEY SQUARE AND BREWSTER STREET.

The work done on this section consisted of removing the old road surface, entirely, and spreading it on Clyfton and Chilton Streets.

The road bed was regraded to a much flatter cross section, with a straight slope from the east car rail to the east gutter.

A 4" penetration base of trap rock and Tarvia "X" was put in with a 2" mixed top of asphalt, sand and trap rock pea stone.

The new surfacing was carried from curb to curb, including the car track, and thus makes the whole width of the road between curbs available for travel of vehicles, a gain of about 6.0' in the usable width of the street at this point.

The area of the road built in this section was 933 square yards, and the total cost was \$2,099.25, making a square yard cost of \$2.25.

COURT STREET, BETWEEN BREWSTER AND CHILTON STREETS.

The road surface on this section was scarified and regraded, and some of the material was carted to the side streets.

A 2" mixed top was put on this road and between the rails of the car track.

The high shoulders on the old road were removed and a very much flatter cross section used.

The total area built was 2,616 square yards at a cost of \$3,868.07, making the cost \$1.48 per square yard.

WATER STREET, NORTH TO LEYDEN STREET.

It was hoped that the Tercentenary Commission would be able to share with the Town the cost of resurfacing this section of road, but they were unable to do so and, in consequence, the cost to the Town was materially in excess of the original estimate for this work.

The shoulders of the old road were widened to meet the new east curb, laid by the Commission, and the whole road resurfaced with a 2" asphalt mixed top.

There was 4,566 square yards in this job, and the cost was \$4,815.40, making a square yard cost of \$1.05.

WHITE HORSE ROAD.

This stretch of road, from its junction with the Shore Road at Taylor's Farm to White Horse Beach, has received a 3" mixed top on the old gravel road. The area built was 3,308 sq. yds., and the total cost was \$2,977.20.

The cost per square yard was \$0.90.

BITUMINOUS TREATMENT ON GRAVEL ROADS.

All of the gravel streets in Town that received, last year, a treatment of Tarvia "B" and Pea Stone, have received another treatment of Tarvia "B" and sand this year, and several additional streets have been treated in a similar manner during the year.

On South Street, from John Kingsley's to Manuel Medara's, and on Standish Avenue, from Samoset to Alden Sts., Tarvia KP was sprayed at the rate of about a half gallon to the square yard, and No. 2 stone spread on the tar at the rate of about one ton to 30 square yards, and thoroughly rolled in.

After the road had been open to travel about four months it was given a treatment of Tarvia "B" and sand.

The total cost of this work on these two streets was \$0.31 per square yard, and about 8,000 square yards were built in this way. With an annual treatment of Tarvia "B" and sand, and at a cost not to exceed \$0.05 or \$0.06 per square yard it should be possible to keep them in satisfactory shape.

Our experience of the past two years with this method of treating our gravel roads would seem to indicate that for those streets not subjected to extremely heavy truck travel, very satisfactory results can be secured with a moderate expenditure for maintenance.

DARBY ROAD, from its junction with Samoset Street to the Carver line, and POINT ROAD, in Manomet, from the State Highway to the road leading to Mayflower Inn, were treated with Tarvia "B" and sand at a cost of about \$0.06 per square yard.

EDES STREET was laid out by the Selectmen and accepted by the Town at the regular March meeting.

Some work was done in grading up a portion of this and a cinder and stone dust sidewalk was built.

The total expenditure on this street was \$289.00.

COURT STREET CAR TRACK AT HEDGES HILL.

By an agreement with the Brockton & Plymouth Street Railway officials, the space between the tracks of the Road was surfaced with No. 1 stone penetrated with asphalt and covered with sand.

This work extended from Cherry Street to Hedges Brook and should prevent the bad washouts that have occurred at this place in years past.

The total cost of this work was \$338.00, and the Brockton & Plymouth Street Railway Company contributed \$275.

NEW ROAD WORK IN 1922.

The following table shows the cost of all bituminous road work carried out during the year 1922; also, the total area built or treated and the cost per sq. yd.

LOCATION	TYPE OF ROAD	Area in Sq. Yds.	Cost Per Sq. Yd.	Total Cost
Court St., north to Brewster, 2" Asphalt mixed top, 4" Penetration base,		933	\$2.25	\$2,099.25
Court St., between Brewster and Cushman Sts., 2" Asphalt mixed top,		2,616	1.48	3,868.07
Water St., north to Leyden, 2" Asphalt mixed top,		4,566	1.05	4,815.40
White Horse Road, 3" Asphalt mixed top,		3,308	.90	2,977.20
Brewster St., Tarvia "B" and sand,		2,330	.11	256.00
Winter St., Tarvia "B" and sand,		570	.11	63.00
Court St., Tarvia KP and No. 2 stone,		1,730	.20	353.20
South St., Tarvia "B" and sand,		4,200	.054	227.00
South St., Tarvia KP and No. 2 stone,		4,090	.25	1,026.00
Standish Ave., Tarvia "B" and sand,		2,700	.051	138.00
Standish Ave., Tarvia KP and No. 2 stone,		3,950	.264	1,047.00

Darby Road, Tarvia "B" and sand,	25,550	.064	1,627.00
Billington St., Tarvia "B" and sand,	5,400	.057	306.50
Cherry St., Tarvia KP and Pea Stone,	2,265	.15	340.00
Cherry St., Tarvia "B" and sand,	2,250	.08	180.00
Point Road, Tarvia "B" and sand,	8,350	.06	501.00
Leyden St., Tarvia "B" and sand,	1,325	.05	66.25
Market and Summer Sts., Tarvia "B" and sand,	3,000	.05	150.00
Water and Union Sts., Tarvia "B" and sand,	1,750	.11	195.00
Beaver Dam Road, Tarvia "B" and sand,	4,300	.06	258.00
Bartlett Road, Tarvia "B" and sand,	2,900	.05	145.00
Strand Ave., Tarvia "B" and sand,	2,300	.05	115.00
	<hr/> 90,383		<hr/> \$20,753.87

BRIDGES.

The Eel River Bridge, so-called, where the State Highway crosses Eel River, has been rebuilt during the past year as a re-inforced concrete beam and slab bridge.

The work was done in co-operation with the State and County. The Town paying one-half the cost, and the State and County one-quarter each.

The new bridge is 44.0' between concrete rails, and has a roadway 26.0' wide between the east curb and the east rail of car track.

A very great improvement has been effected by this work, and the maintenance of the bridge is reduced to a minimum.

Some of the 4" timber that was salvaged from the old wooden bridge flooring has been used in re-planking the Carter's River Bridge over the stream between Great and Little Herring Ponds.

SEWERS.

The most important piece of work carried out during the year in sewer construction was the renewing of a section of 14" sewer outlet pipe at the State Wharf on Water Street.

In the report of 1921, attention was called to the fact that about 500" of the old 14" pipe (over a portion of which a corner of the old Craig wharf had been built) was defective, and an appropriation of \$5,000.00 was recommended and granted to replace this section.

The pipe for the work was purchased of The Central Foundry Co., and cost \$1,340.00, including freight and carting. The work was done with Town laborers, and the total cost of the completed job was \$3,674.24.

Work was begun on May 9th, 1922, and the connection was made on June 18th, 1922, since which time the new pipe has been in operation.

The following table shows in detail the length, size and cost of the various sewer jobs completed during the year.

SEWERS AND SURFACE DRAINS.

LOCATION	Length in Feet	Size Inches	Aver. Depth	Labor	Material	Total	Cost Per Foot
Ocean and Weston, Avenues,	618 68 120	8 6 6 C.I.	5.7	\$743.68	\$926.26	\$1,669.94	\$2.06
Cherry St. Ext., Water St. Outlet, Clark St., South St.,	114 479 300 594	6 14 8 8	4.0 6.2 5.1	60.58 2,334.24 201.51 477.88	34.74 1,340.00 131.98 433.60	95.32 3,674.24 333.49 921.48	.84 7.67 1.11 1.55
Total,	2,293					\$6,694.47	
Stoddard St. (surface-drain)	125	12	2.5	40.00	93.00	133.00	1.06

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

Co-operation on the part of the property owners has enabled the Town to construct 1,395 square yards of granolithic sidewalk during the year 1922, at an average cost of \$2.44 per square yard.

In figuring this average cost per square yard, the yardage and cost of the Obery Street job was not used because all the labor and some of the material on this job was furnished by the County.

Granolithic sidewalk construction partakes so much of the nature of a permanent improvement that in each case where the abuttor is willing to share one-half the cost of construction, it is very desirable to do a substantial amount of this work each year.

I recommend an appropriation of \$3,000.00 for granolithic sidewalks for the ensuing year.

ASPHALT AND PEA STONE.

On Cliff Street, Sandwich Road, Cherry and Centennial Streets, the sidewalks have been re-surfaced, using pea stone, sprayed with asphalt. Clean sand was then spread over the asphalt and the surface rolled with a hand roller.

On the Cherry Street work the hot asphalt was sprayed in the gutter as well as on the sidewalk, and this should tend to prevent a recurrence of the washouts that have frequently occurred on this hill.

K. P. sidewalks, described in last year's report, have been built on South and Fremont Streets, and some cinder and crushed stone walks on other streets less used by pedestrians.

The following tables show the area, cost and location of the sidewalks constructed during the year 1922.

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

WALK	LOCATION	Sq. Yds.	COST		Length in Ft.	CURB	
			Total	Per Sq. Yd.		Total	Per Ft.
Franklin Street,		212.0	\$477.00	\$2.25	301	\$305.93	\$1.01
Main Street Extension,		126.2	232.10	1.84			
Court Street, at Anderson's,		60.6	133.20	2.20			
Court Street, at Sugar Bowl,		68.6	183.98	2.68			
Court Street, at Costa's,		87.1	211.89	2.43			
Court Street, at Bass',		50.1	168.34	3.33			
Pilgrim Hall,		289.2	724.43	2.51			
Water Street, at Capanari's,		53.7	161.10	3.00	Concrete 47		
					Granite 96	104.90	
Carver St., at Plymouth Rock House,		43.7	122.20	2.77	Granite 20	25.00	1.25
South Street, E. N. Wood,		70.0	175.00	2.50			
Obery Street,		333.0	291.20				
		1,494.6	\$2,880.44		464	\$435.83	

The Town furnished cement and foreman, only, on this job; all other material and labor was furnished by the County.

The following table show location, area and cost of crushed stone and asphalt sidewalk built during the year 1922.

LOCATION	Area in Sq. Yds.	COST	
		Total	Per Sq. Yd.
Sandwich Road, (Jabez Cor. to Hospital),	800	\$638.00	\$.80
Cliff Street, (Warren Avenue to Sandwich Road)	930	663.00	.71
Cherry Street (north and south sides)	1,015	932.00	.92
Cherry Street (north and south sides (gutter),	655	97.00	.15
Bay View Ave.,	933	884.00	.90
Savery Ave.,	200	130.00	.65
Summer Street, (near Oak Street),	230	115.00	.50

K. P. SIDEWALK.

Fremont Street (south side),	341	\$169.00	.49
South Street,	270	.175.00	.65

CINDERS AND STONE DUST.

Court Street (near Cold Spring),	\$127.00
Warren Avenue,	235.00
Summer Street,	142.00
School Street,	89.00

STONE CRUSHED DURING YEAR 1922.

Approximately 1,310 tons of stone have been crushed during the year. The cost of this crushed stone is as follows:

Price paid for field stone delivered to crusher,	\$1.25 per ton
Labor and teams at crusher,	.56 per ton
Power for year,	.16 per ton

Total,	\$1.97
1,310 tons at \$1.25,	\$1,637.50
Labor and teams,	730.40
Power,	215.70
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	\$2,583.60

ROAD OILING.

A considerable amount of road oiling has been done during the year with such satisfactory results that, in my opinion, a larger appropriation should be granted and more of this work done during the ensuing year.

There has been 58,647 gallons of Asphalt Road Oil No. 3 applied during the year at a total cost of \$3,938.69. The cost per gallon was \$0.066, applied.

For the first time in several years, one carload of oil was used at Cedarville, on the Bournedale Road, so-called, from Costello's Corner to Herring Pond, and the results obtained in that section warrant an annual application.

Not only does this oil lay the dust, but it very materially prevents washing in the heavy rains.

I recommend an appropriation of \$6,000.00 for road oiling for the ensuing year.

COURT STREET RESURFACING.

A section of Court Street, northerly from Lothrop Street, should be resurfaced during the year 1923.

I recommend that \$5,000.00 be appropriated for this work, which would consist of scarifying and re-grading the present road surface, and resurfacing with about 4" of No. 1 stone, penetrated with bituminous binder.

Probably about 4,000 sq. yds. could be rebuilt for \$5,000.00. which would finish that section between Lothrop Street and the Plymouth & Brockton Street Railway turnout at Knapp's.

CLIFF STREET MACADAM.

It has been suggested that a bituminous macadam road be built on Cliff Street, from Warren Avenue to the Sandwich Road.

There would be about 4,500 sq. yds. in this section and the estimated cost would be \$6,000.00.

COURT STREET WIDENING.

Plans and estimates have been made for a proposed widening on Court Street, opposite North Spooner Street.

The proposed line of widening would start at the northerly corner of Bagen's store, No. 393 Court Street, and continue northerly in a straight line to the corner of the Cordage Company block on the northerly side of Ropewalk Court, thence following the face of this block and continuing in the same direction until it intersects the present easterly line of Court Street. The total length of the proposed change is 770' and the maximum gain in width would be about 11.5' opposite the end of Forest Avenue. The present width at this point from the easterly rail of car track to the easterly curb is 17.5' and the proposed new width would be about 29.0'.

The estimated cost of this work is \$5,000.00, including land damage, rebuilding road and building granolithic curb and sidewalk for the entire distance.

SEWERS AND DRAINS.

The surface water on Court Street, from Centennial to Cherry Streets, has always been a troublesome problem, due to the very flat grade on Court Street.

A study of this question seems to indicate that the best solution of the problem would be to lay a 20" drain on the west side of Court street, beginning at Hamilton Street, and running out into the open gutter about 150' north of Cherry Street.

Suitable catch basins at intersecting streets should be installed.

The estimated cost of this drain is \$5,000.00.

Another surface water problem that has been studied is on Alden Street at its junction with Allerton Street.

In heavy rains a large amount of water comes down Alden

Street from considerable drainage area and occasionally over taxes the existing drain.

This situation could be relieved by constructing a suitable catch basin on the north side of Alden Street, opposite the school house lot and laying an 18' pipe from this catch basin to the meadow. An existing drain at the northerly end of the meadow would take the water under Court Street to Cold Spring Brook.

The estimated cost of this work is \$1,500.00.

WATER STREET BRIDGE.

The present wooden flooring on Water Street bridge over Town Brook has required considerable attention to keep it in safe condition for the increasingly heavy travel to which it is subjected.

The masonry abutments appear to be in good condition and I recommend that the old floor be replaced by 15" steel I beams encased in concrete, with a 7" reinforced concrete slab between the beams.

Sketches and estimates for this work have been prepared in this office and it is recommended that an appropriation of \$1,500.00 be made for this work.

PRINCE STREET.

A request has been received for a sewer extension on Prince Street.

It is possible to extend the sewer on this street for 1.150' easterly from Court Street and on Cordage Street northerly from Prince Street about 200'.

If this sewer were laid, there would be 26 lots as shown on a proposed land development plan that could avail themselves of a sewer privilege.

The estimated cost of this work would be \$4,000.00.

A summary of the special work proposed with the estimate cost each piece of work is given below:

Cliff Street, macadam,	\$6,000 00
Court Street, resurfacing,	5,000 00
Court Street, widening,	5,000 00
Court Street, surface drain,	5,000 00
Alden Street, surface drain,	1,500 00
Water Street, bridge,	1,500 00
Prince Street, sewer extension,	4,000 00
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	\$28,000 00

ENGINEERING.

All the necessary lines and grades for the new road construction and granolithic sidewalks have been furnished, and grades given for all sewer work.

Record plans, showing line and grade of sewers and the location of Y's for house connections have also been made.

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL.

The total amount charged to snow and ice removal during the year 1922, was \$1,997.40.

Of this amount, \$200.00 was spent for an additional snow plow for use on a motor truck, and \$90.00 for a sidewalk plow for the Chiltonville district.

For use in the Long Pond district, a Baker V Plow for a Fordson tractor has been purchased, and should be useful in clearing the roads in this section.

In closing this report I wish to acknowledge the uniformly courteous treatment from your Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR E. BLACKMER, Supt.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN CLERK

Births, Deaths and Marriages

FOR THE YEAR

1922

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1922

- Jan. 10. Daniel J. Sullivan and Olive A. Blanchard, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 10. Charles E. Butterfield of Providence, R. I., and Mary M. Goodwin of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 15. Peter N. Ruprecht and Mary Borghesani, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 21. Earle Ford Dempsey of Middleboro and Ruth Harriett Todd of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 28. Lee Russ Sturtevant and Harriet Burgess Morton, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Feb. 8. Robert H. Cavanagh and Frances P. Wren, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 15. James Banado and Roma Fornaciari, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 18. Guintino Silva and Mary C. Oliveira, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 18. Chester Govoni and Minnie Rogers, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 18. Manuel Oliveira and Mary Pacheco, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 19. Alvin J. Terry of Plymouth and Jeannette D. Palardy of Kingston, married in Kingston.
- Feb. 21. Joseph P. DeCarli and Fannie Fiocchi, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 25. Benjamin Lopes Rodrigues and Mary Helen Perry, both of Plymouth.
- Feb. 28. Julius Goldman of Boston and Gertrude Cohen of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Mar. 5. Ralph A. Torrance of Plymouth and Melvina Marie Corrow of Kingston, married in Kingston.
- Mar. 14. Clarence Joseph Gaspar of Plymouth and Anna Di Renzo of Netcong, N. J., married in Plymouth.

- Mar. 15. Nello Dario Marchi of Somerville and Natalie Bertocchi of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Mar. 27. Merrill Seward Nelson and Doris Lucille Burt, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Mar. 28. Everett B. Wood and Gertrude E. Sawyer, both of Plymouth.
- Mar. 29. Charles William Johnson and Martha Churchill, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 11. Frank C. Dunlap and Olive L. Leach, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 15. George William Howland and Lilla Mae Lapham, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 17. Frank A. Sielaff of Hampstead, N. Y. and Emily S. Holmes of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Apr. 18. John Warren Damon and Helen Whittemore Harlow, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 20. Russell A. Warren and Emily Mallinson, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 20. John Warren Barlow and Lillian Virginia Deschamps, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 21. Emil C. Birnstein, Jr. and Alice Russell Holmes, both of Plymouth.
- Apr. 23. Joseph Caravaglio of Quincy and Viola Desautell of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Apr. 30. Albert Roncarati and Margaret Mary Shea, both of Plymouth.
- May 3. James D. Kennedy and Isabella E. Wood, both of Plymouth.
- May 4. Warren Nelson Fish and Thordys Franklin Hathaway, both of Plymouth.
- May 6. Feriano Bagni and Alice Rossi, both of Plymouth.
- May 6. Frank D. Pratt and Margaret E. Silver, both of Plymouth.
- May 6. William H. Karle and Annie Cavicchi, both of Plymouth, married in Duxbury.

- May 7. Chester Linwood Weeden of Hanson and Margaret Almer O'Brien of Plymouth, married in Hanson.
- May 10. Wallace Herbert Blackwell and Bernice Ellen Philbrick, both of Bourne, married in Plymouth.
- May 13. Joseph Ferdinand Grandi of Plymouth and Agnes Barker Lapham of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- May 19. Solomon Padlusky of Plymouth and Sarah Rice of Dorchester, married in Roxbury.
- May 22. Newman A. Sampson and Evelyn G. Bates, both of Plymouth.
- May 23. Charles William Potter of Brookline and Flora Agnes Raymond of Plymouth, married in Boston.
- May 27. Louis Rovatti and Margaret Korth, both of Plymouth.
- May 27. Dino Leonardi and Florence L. LaBelle, both of Plymouth.
- May 27. Harold L. Morton and Agnes Wible, both of Beaumont, Texas, married in Beaumont, Texas.
- Jun. 3. Colburn C. Wood of Plymouth and Cora Francis Shaw of Carver, married in Middleboro.
- Jun. 3. Daniel Russell Garvey of Plymouth and Frances Joseph White of Newton, married in Providence, R. I.
- Jun. 10. Edwin Foster Drew and Ethel May Hathaway, both of Plymouth.
- Jun. 10. Harold Dortie Harvey of Greenwich, Conn. and Katharine Davis of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jun. 10. Willard D. Bartlett of Boston and Emma B. Maines of Plymouth, married in Boston.
- Jun. 15. Myer J. Resnick and Hattie R. Resnick, both of Plymouth, married in Boston.
- Jun. 21. Alexander Gilli of Springfield and Anna Emma Pioppi of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jun. 24. Paul Ward Beck, Jr. of Washington, D. C., and Mildred B. Pratt of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.

- Jun. 24. Henry Walter Corrow of Kingston, and Elva Wight Holmes of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Jun. 24. Hugh Caddell and Birdena Hall, both of Plymouth.
- Jun. 24. Adelfo Anti of Kingston and Ida Botieri of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jun. 24. William King Durfee and Flora Amelia Wilmarth, both of New Bedford, married in Plymouth.
- Jun. 26. Victor Druckenbrod of Plymouth and Eliza Jane Sawtelle of Blackstone, married in Blackstone.
- Jun. 27. Donald Sargent Kendall of East Orange, N. J. and Eleanor Hastings Beaman of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jun. 30. Alfred C. Finney and Flora L. Cobb, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- July 1. Joseph G. A. Bedard and Catherine E. Schneider, both of Plymouth.
- July 2. Benjamin Lothrop Besse and Dora May Wrightington, both of Plymouth.
- July 3. Chester B. Downie and Helen Urania Nickerson, both of Plymouth.
- July 3. Kenneth Francis Holbrook of Plymouth, and Katherine Frances MacEntee of Newport, R. I., married in Newport, R. I.
- July 8. Antone Costa of Plymouth, and Evangelina Lima of River Point, R. I., married in Arctic, R. I.
- July 10. William B. Broadbent of Middleboro and Deborah A. Longfellow of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- July 12. Francis Wilford White and Katherine Agnes Hickey, both of Plymouth, married in Milford.
- July 15. Allen Warren Cole and Jennie Victoria Lapham, both of Plymouth.
- July 15. Harrison E. Burt and Ethel F. Wall, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.

- July 15. Stanley M. McLeod of Clinton and Pauline V. Murray of Roxbury, married in Plymouth.
- July 17. Douglas M. Gardner of Boston and Gloria A. Emond of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- July 20. Manuel Teixeira and Anna Marie Mendez, both of Plymouth.
- July 22. Rowland P. McKinley of Wayne, Pa., and Ethel Dorr of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- July 22. Wallace Kenneth Nightingale and Marian Chapman Bassett, both of Plymouth.
- July 25. Albert Russell Otley of Plymouth and Bernice Clyde Baker of Kingston, married in Kingston.
- July 29. Evo Gallerani and Irma Pezzini, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 4. Carmino Santaro of Plymouth and Ada Belle Doane of Brockton, married in Brockton.
- Aug. 5. William Joseph Martin and Alice Muthig, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 5. Sidney F. Hooper of Winchester and Catherine I. O'Meara of Cambridge, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 7. Lewis E. Wilde and Ella May Cook, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 8. George H. Mackay, Jr. of Nantucket and Ruth Morey Mabbett of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 12. Peter Danti, 2d., and Gertrude Nugent, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 19. Granville E. Davis and Helen M. Sawyer, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Aug. 21. Arthur Cecil Baker and Louise Frances Doll, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 26. William M. Mayers and Laura F. Wall, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 28. Antone Salgueiro and Laurina Perry, both of Plymouth, married in Taunton.
- Aug. 29. Joseph Bertolotti and Marion Andrietti, both of Plymouth.

- Sept. 1. Ruel E. Thomas and Alice D. Carnes, both of Plymouth, married in Middleboro.
- Sept. 2. John Mason Washburn of Hopedale, and Ruth Holmes of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 2. Casper G. Brenner and Alda Benassi, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 2. William Mein, Jr. of Plymouth and Gladys Weston of Brockton, married in Brockton.
- Sept. 4. Luigi Divino of Plymouth and Maria Rufrano of East Boston, married in East Boston.
- Sept. 6. James Boyle and Rose M. Herget, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 9. Charles Russell Manchester of Attleboro and Helen May Sampson of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 9. Joseph J. Souza and Mary Cabral, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 12. Albert H. Wirzburger and Alice D. Carland, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 14. Clyfton Chandler of Plymouth and Marguerite J. Hardy of Huntington, married in Huntington.
- Sept. 17. Herbert K. Bartlett and Elizabeth L. Wertzburger, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Sept. 20. Henry W. Barnes, Jr., and Miriam L. Rowell, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 23. Alton L. Stevens of Plymouth and Helen H. Hall of North Easton, married in Easton.
- Sept. 24. Jesse Shields and Agnes Thomas, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 26. Herbert W. Haire of Plymouth and Hanna J. Hegarty of Newton, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 26. William John Burley and Mary Ann Keating, both of Newton, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 29. Angelo Maccaferri and Bianca Righini, both of Plymouth.

- Sept. 30. Frank Dias of Plymouth and Clementina Fantug-
gi of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 30. Ernest W. Manter and Lillian E. Temple, both
of Plymouth.
- Sept. 30. Paul H. Manion and Annie W. Loft, both of
Plymouth.
- Oct. 1. Waldo Marchetti of Wellesley and Ada Scagliarini
of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 14. Joseph Luiz and Felisbella Lopes, both of Plym-
outh.
- Oct. 14. Harold Anti of Kingston and Clara M. G. Rock
of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 15. Ralph Villano and Pasqualina Ruggiero, both of
Plymouth.
- Oct. 21. Oliver M. Harris of Duxbury and Hazel M. Noyes
of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 26. Gordon L. Griswold and Mary A. Henderson, both
of Plymouth.
- Oct. 28. Arthur F. Wager of Plymouth and Mary G. Costa
of Cambridge, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 29. Frank Amicone and Theresa Di Stefano, both of
Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 30. Thomas W. Rogan and Marguerite Anna Hall, both
of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Nov. 1. Arthur Quinchon and Lois Goudou, both of Plym-
outh.
- Nov. 1. Robert Jetson Ryder of Bourne and Lucy Jane
King of Plymouth, married in Wareham.
- Nov. 4. Lewis Francis Vaughan of Middleboro and Elva
Gladys Griswold of Plymouth, married in Middleboro.
- Nov. 11. Albert W. Boutin of Plymouth and Margaret Kent
of Providence, R. I., married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 11. Leon Pacheco Medeiros and Agnes Enos, both of
Plymouth.

- Nov. 11. Henry A. Dries and Viola May Thornhill, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 13. Melvin L. Pratt and Nellie Pearl Brown, both of Plymouth, married in Attleboro.
- Nov. 25. Joseph Mordini and Nicolina Cappannari, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 25. Ceasare Jesse Sylvia and Rosalina Souza Cunha, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 25. Louis Pirani of Somerville and Alicc Vacchi of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 28. William D. Burgess and Ada Hatfield, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 30. Lawrence J. Savoy and Helen N. Marshall, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 30. Jacob Parker of Plympton and Lydia Drew Bradford of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Dec. 4. Manuel Almeida Mathias of Plymouth and Maria Izabel Souza of Bristol, R. I., married in Bristol, R. I.
- Dec. 9. Rosoleno Gienferrerri and Elmina Strozzi, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 9. George R. Read and Mary Jane Graves, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 10. Candi Miranda and Virginia Gonsalves, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 16. Amedio P. Cavicchi of Plymouth and Angelina Carchia of Kingston, married in Duxbury.
- Dec. 30. Philip Vacchino and Beatrice M. Post, both of Plymouth.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1922.

Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Jan.	1 Maria Alexandrina Mauriso	Manuel D. and Alexandrina Martinge	Cape Verde Islands	Cape Verde Islands
	2 Adelinc Louise Baker	Edward and Catherine McKenzie	Kingston	Nova Scotia
	4 Anne Freeman	Howard C. and Mary A. H. Murray	Kingston	Canada
	5 William Joseph Shea	John F. and Mary A. Barron	Millville	Newfoundland
	7 James Spalluzzi	Frank and Antonietta Zietoli	Italy	Italy
	8 Alberinda Viera	Joseph and Nicolina Rezendes	Portugal	Portugal
	10 Robert John Owens	William H. and Catherine M. Kearney	Cambridge	Cambridge
	12 Harriett Anna Childs	Prentiss B. and Emily M. Fisher	Waltham	Wellesley
	14 Lillian Thomas	Alphonso and Annie Diaz	Azores	Azores
	17 Alfred David Darsch	John M., Jr., and Mary K. Siever	France	St. Michaels
	18 Alice Fontes	Mariano and Maria Pacheco	Hawaii	Portugal
	18 Maria Eufrazia	Manuel and Louisa Cabral	Portugal	Portugal
	19 Morris Leland Reynolds	William B. and Laura E. Ryder	Bourne	Bourne
	19 Frances Louise Mulcahy	Daniel F. and Lumenia M. Roy	Boston	Fall River
	20 Robert Stevens Wood	Fred S. and Mary M. Briand	Newton	Nova Scotia
	20 Arthur Caesar Cotti	Louis and Etta Cotti	Italy	Italy
	20 Albert F. Pierce	Albert F. and Lexina McAuley	Plymouth	Nova Scotia
	21 Diamantina Rego	Anibaldo and Virginia Gomes	Brazil	St. Michaels
	24 Edward Francis Hallaway	Archie M. and Covette S. Holman	Bourne	Kingston
	25 Phyllis Viola Bryant	William C. and Bertha E. Nickerson	Middleboro	Plymouth
	26 Bella Rezendes	Joseph and Annie Sears	Portugal	Portugal
	28 John Dean Shaw	Joseph H. and Myrtis L. Hall	Plymouth	Taunton
	28 Phyllis Dorothy Eldridge	Elijah H. and Dorothy M. Bennett	Dennis	Duxbury
	29 Frank Dias	Henry and Mary Jesus	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	30 Mauro Valenziano	Vincenzo and Carmella Mazzilli	Italy	Italy
	31 Annie Romano	Lawrence and Rosie Viella	Italy	Italy
	31 Dorothy Mary Lodi	August and Leonora Fallavena	Italy	Italy
Feb.	1 Barbara Harlow	Jay O. and Florence Brooks	Plymouth	England
	2 Constance Avice Addynan	Arthur and Avice L. Kinsman	England	Plymouth
	3 Emma Eileen Pederzani	Paul P. and Ida A. Balboni	Lynn	South America
	4 Lester Franklin Anderson	Lester and Mary C. Howland	Plymouth	Plymouth
	5 John Leslie Sullivan	James M. and Mary A. Sheehan	Ireland	Ireland
	9 Joseph Warren Fardina Perrault	Fardina A. and Lillian A. Robbins	Plymouth	Plymouth
	10 Doris Irene McGovern	Frederick and Ethel F. White	Boston	Carver
	10 Dorothy White McGovern	Frederick and Ethel F. White	Boston	Carver
	10 Aurora Janeiro	Francisco M. and Maria R. Marcella	Portugal	Portugal

Feb.	12	Mary Adelaide McCosh	John A. and Sarah Maude Hale	Plymouth	Maine
	15	Edward Ribeiro	Antonio and Regina Santos	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	16	Charles Richard Brewster	Willis E. and Margaret A. Fogerty	Stratham, N. H.	England
	18	John Erish Michel	Peter and Anna K. Christ	Germany	Germany
	19	Augustine Marques	Francisco F. and Virginia Tavis	Portugal	Azores
	22	Olga Josephine Guidoboni	Luigi and Rosa Maini	Italy	Italy
	23	Donald William Heath	Horace P. and Cecelia M. LeClaire	Plymouth	Slattersville, R. I.
	23	Rose Kordish	Louis and Celia Saks	Russia	Russia
	24	Alice Govi	John H. and Mary L. Vacchino	Italy	Italy
	24	Andrews	Antone and Gertrude	Cape Verde Islands	Cape Verde Islands
	26	Gerald Franklyn Cadose	John H. and Gladys E. Kendrick	Provincetown	Plymouth
	26	Teresa Cingolani	Enrico and Elisa Camilletti	Italy	Italy
	26	Amelia Louise O'Leary	Vincent D. and Amelia C. Reineck	Mass.	Albany, N. Y.
	27	Phyllis Louise Bartlett	John F. and Selma S. Johnson	Plymouth	Elmira, N. Y.
	27	Arlene May Goyetch	Ernest C. and Mildred M. Gould	Nova Scotia	Plymouth
	27	Illegitimate			
Mar.	1	Maria Santana Nascimento	Manuel G. and Marcia Gones	Portugal	Portugal
	2	Robert Halsey Brewer	Jesse T. and Marie T. Covell	Scotland	Wareham
	4	Phillip Warren Henning	Frederick L. and Lulu M. Larkin	P. E. Island	Nova Scotia
	4	Frank Genito	Andy and Frances Alberio	Italy	Italy
	4	Marie Bencordo	Leo F. and Marion J. Coleman	Boston	Marshfield
	4	Tina Pozzi	Germano and Mary Zannarki	Italy	Italy
	5	Nellie S. Youngman	Daniel S. and Mary M. Yez	Azores	Azores
	5	Dorothea Addie Wright	Ellsworth B. and Daisy C. Dicks	Kingston	England
	7	Anna Louise Rock	Arthur C. and Clara Paul	Canada	Fall River
	7	Richard Ellis Bumpus	Allen W. and Ethel F. Knight	Plymouth	Wareham
	10	Warner Clinton Tison	Colice C. and Rosalind A. Miller	France	New Haven, Ct.
	12	Edyth Hazel Holmes	Herman F. and Anna F. Dean	Plymouth	Newark, N. J.
	13	Joseph Almada	Manuel and Mary Costa	Azores	Azores
	13	Geneva Perno	Biaggio and Jennie Salvatore	Italy	Italy
	15	Leonard Henry Borgatti	Leonard and Zita J. Malagoti	Italy	Italy
	16	Ruth Margaret Finney	Edward P. and Cecelia E. Seaver	Plymouth	Kingston
	17	Paul Lucille Owens	George H. and May E. Lovejoy	Kingston	Setnate
	18	Alice Balboni	Joseph and Argia Faroli	Italy	Italy
	20	Ernest Joseph Francis Dupuis	Ernest J. and Edith M. Henderson	Worcester	Plymouth
	20	Frank Antonio Villano	Michele and Florence Chiaravelli	Italy	New Haven, Ct.
	20	Mary Auttil	Louis and Celia Savel	Canada	Canada
	20	Catherine Ida Majahad	Simon F. and Ida M. Fields	Rochester, N. Y.	Maynard
	21	Joan Stafford Irvine	Oliver S. and Florence G. Snow	Cleveland, Ohio	Plymouth
	22	Lois Irene Hubbard	Glenn and Evelyn Hardy	Omaha, Neb.	Stoneham

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Mar.				
22	Illegitimate	Jacob and Sarah Rice	Russia	Russia
24	Illegitimate	Robert and Louisa Ardzizoni	Italy	Italy
26	Illegitimate	Edward T. and Isabel C. Boutin	Lowell	Plymouth
27	Gertie Frem	Louis F. and Etta F. Cushman	Plymouth	Brockton
28	Argia Guidetti	Everett A. and Blanch W. Thomas	Plymouth	Ashland, N. H.
29	Marjorie McAndrews			
30	Charles Broadbent Dunham			
	Evelyn Bertha Raymond			
April				
2	Simon D. Collier	Morris and Gertruce Resnick	Russia	Russia
3	Illegitimate	George M. and Bertha M. Gould	Providence, R. I.	Plymouth
4	Elizabeth Pearl Hanelt			
4	Stillborn			
5	Stillborn			
6	Anna Jesse	Frank and Frances N. Silva	Azores	Azores
8	Irene Dabney Roane	Smith and Mary L. Milburn	Richmond, Va.	Plymouth
8	Antone Costa Thomas	Antone C. and Maria C. Albert	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
8	Dominique Robert Duperre	Joseph M. and Rosanna Santerre	Canada	Canada
9	Aurissa Savery Holmes	Curtis and Aurissa W. Savery	Plymouth	Plymouth
10	Emily Dorcas McEwen	Thomas G. and Ethel M. Scott	E. Greenwich, R. I.	Plymouth
10	Robert Joseph Wilde	Lewis E., Jr., and Eunice A. Schofield	Centerville, R. I.	Plymouth
10	Alba Catterina Ferrari	Raffaele and Angelina Gatti	Italy	Italy
10	Stillborn			
11	Clara Bastoni	Joseph and Adele Galassi	Italy	Italy
11	John Malone	William F. and Georgiana Valler	Plympton	Plymouth
11	Elizabeth MacJean Harding	Ahira M. and Christina E. McDonald	Dennisport	Plymouth
11	Charlotta Anna Raymond	Abbott A. and Elsie M. Pero	Plymouth	Rockville, Ct.
12	Eugene Bernard Verre	Eugene E. and Margaret E. Keough	Plymouth	Plymouth
12	Ellen Corrine Osberg	Fredrick C. and Cora Belle Page	Sweden	Chicago, Ill.
14	Margaret Olive Metz	John and Ellen Wilson	Plymouth	Middleboro
15	Lois May Chandler	Elmer C. and Bertha E. Lovell	Plymouth	Whitman
15	Natalie Ethel Raymond	Henry and Ethel E. Smith	Plymouth	Boston
15	Roberto Cesare Tedeschi	Amedeo and Adelaide Guidoboni	Italy	Italy
16	Joseph Duarte	Alfred and Esmelinda Predade	Portugal	Portugal
17	Julia May Holmes	Solomon M., Jr., and Hattie M. Morse	Plymouth	Plymouth
17	Charles Henry Dann	Bertram A. and Ethel E. Griegs	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
17	Adalinda Monteiro	Antone A. and Marion Mollo	Cape Verde Islands	Azores
17	Manuel Souza	Manuel and Mary Crabb	St. Michaels	St. Michaels

April	18 Mary Esther MaDan	John T. and Esther M. Peterson	Brockton	Sweden
	20 Irving Clarence Bailey	Ichabod C. and Albertine D. Simmons	China	Duxbury
	22 Kenneth Marvin Nickerson	Joseph M. and Freda M. Nickerson	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
	24 Alfonso Vincent Gambini	Alfonso and Palma Dellasta	Italy	Italy
	26 Mary Elizabeth Reynolds	George A. and Gertrude L. Mayers	Attleboro	Plymouth
	27 Olga Montali	Antonio and Anna Corsi	Italy	Italy
	27 Reno Ruozzi	Ercolo and Argia Carletti	Italy	Italy
	29 Doris May Dyer	William O. and Lucy M. Knowles	Norwich, Ct.	Bangor, Me.
May	1 Eleanor Thomas	Fred and Mary Diaz	Azores	Azores
	3 Annie Souza Veroa	John S. and Annie Almeda	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	4 Stillborn		Italy	Italy
	5 Cesar Joseph Cristofori	Cesar and Albunea Gambini	Italy	Italy
	6 Audrey Marquerite Maloon	Roger B. and Lilla M. Wentworth	Raymond, N. H.	Milton Mills, N. H.
	9 Rosie Fernandes	Victal and Mary E. Fernandes	Cape Verde Islands	Cape Verde Islands
	11 James Souza	Manuel and Diolinda Souza	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	13 Illegitimate			
	14 Mary Vicente	Joseph and Maria Gomes	Portugal	Portugal
	15 Catherine Dorothy Boutin	Elmer P. and Margaret A. Wallace	Plymouth	Plymouth
	15 Edith Georgianna Crossley	Walter E. and Nora Fries	Pembroke	Pembroke
	17 Rose Baptista	Antone and Mary Moffa	Portugal	Azores
	19 Priscilla Crowell Douglass	Ernest C. and Truellis DeLorica	England	Chicago, Ill.
	20 Thomas Francis Inghis	Robert A. H. and Jessie L. Cunningham	Canada	Roxbury, N. Y.
	21 Leslie Bradford Smith	Leslie B. and Erna F. Pratt	Plymouth	Auburn, N. Y.
	21 Susie Simmons	Antone and Alexandrina Alves	Azores	Azores
	24 Luigi Bonzagni	Armando and Elvira Sofritti	Italy	Italy
	27 Milton Weston Ellis	Milton K. and Hattie Soule	Plymouth	Duxbury
	27 John Davis Brewer	John D. and Marian Mack	Milton	Corning, N. Y.
	29 Frederick DeCarli	Joseph and Fannie Fiocchi	Italy	Plymouth
	30 Helen Louise Tripp	Lynan C. and Flora B. Washburn	Plymouth	Winchendon
	30 Bernard Thomas Resnick	Joseph G. and Pauline Gershaf	Plymouth	Russia
	31 Stillborn			
June	2 Doris Louise Ruprecht	Peter N. and Mary E. Borghesani	Plymouth	Plymouth
	2 Stillborn		Portugal	Portugal
	3 Melquisedeck Perry	Frank and Mary Mederious	Italy	Wareham
	7 Theodora Catherine Malagniti	Amedeo and Lea Vecchi	St. Michaels	Plympton
	8 James Leslie Ferreira	James A. and Gertrude L. Parker	Italy	Italy
	10 ——— Nema	Salvator and Rosie Mazzilli	Italy	Italy
	12 Robert Tavernelli	Robert and Emma Peppi	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	12 Irene Santos	Antone and Margarida Souza	Italy	Italy
	13 Antonio Carbone	Frank and Susie Mosca		

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
June	14 Annie Marshall	Antone and Louisa P. Veiras	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	15 Mary Alice Nunes	Jesse J. and Mary A. Gomes	Taunton	Azores
	17 Dorothy May Peterson	Harold W. and Helen S. Voght	Duxbury	Duxbury
	20 Bertha Viola Dries	Henry and Annie Ruprecht	Germany	Germany
	23 Walter Warren Mansfield	Lawrence F. and Hilda Parkin	Boston	St. Michaels
	26 David Botelho	Manuel and Cutilde Marques	P. E. Island	Nova Scotia
	28 John Daniel McIsaac	Fred I. and Florence B. Seffern	Plymouth	Carver
	28 Dorothy June Schneider	John and Ada M. Stringer		
July	1 Edna Louise Raymond	Warren E. and Hattie M. Butters	Plymouth	Plymouth
	2 Louise Everile Perrault	Antonio J. and Mabelle L. Hughes	Plymouth	Carver
	3 Willis Vincent Pizzotti	Renaldo and Alvira Gavoni	Italy	Plymouth
	3 Leslie West Magiathlin	Joseph N. and Florence L. Clark	Kingston	Rockland
	6 — Goldstein	Ezra and Mary Goldberg	Russia	Russia
	8 Gloria Claire Morelli	William and Lena Scagliarini	Italy	Italy
	10 John Lynton Broadbent	Edgar N. and Mary F. Cassidy	Wales	Plymouth
	11 Daniel James Sullivan	Daniel J. and Olive A. Blanchard	Plymouth	Kingston
	13 George Joseph Rioux	Albert J. and Mary A. Valcourt	Fall River	Fall River
	14 Alfred Caetano Martin	Antone C. and Caroline Almeida	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	17 William Edward Bailey	William E. and Grace E. Smith	Nova Scotia	Cambridge
	18 Andrew Colby Little	Andrew C. and Marion Arnold	Boston	Duxbury
	19 Kathleen Anna Dries	Peter A., Jr., and Castanza Pasteris	Plymouth	Italy
	23 Euse Capozucca	Nazzareno and Anna Mancinelli	Italy	Italy
	25 Stillborn			
	26 Joseph David Carreira	Manuel and Mary Furtado	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	30 Lena Dias	Matthew and Regina Dias	Portugal	Canada
	31 Parker Loring Barnes	Philip S. and Mercie Hatch	Plymouth	Boston
Aug.	1 Edward Maccafferri	Achille and Mary Todeschi	Italy	Wellesley
	2 Bella Jesse	Antone and Belina Jesse	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
	4 Gloria Lus Melro	Manuel J. and Beatris Janela	Portugal	Portugal
	4 Stillborn			
	3 Anthony P. Goulart	Anthony P. and Matilda Seaver	Gloucester	Plymouth
	5 James Wesley Robinson	James W. and Beatrice P. Gray	Missouri	Plymouth
	7 Ethel Mary Paul	Peter E. and Mary Barry	Fall River	Fall River
	7 Marion Louise Ellis	Everett E. and Carrie C. Washburn	Bridgewater	Plymouth

Aug.	9	Ernestine Leslie Dill	Ernest L. and Margaret I. Perkins	East Boston	Plymouth
	11	Proctor Ransden Neal	Alberto M. and Mildred Proctor	Amesbury	Plymouth
	13	Warren Richard Neal	George R. and Jennie C. Dahlgren	Plymouth	Leadville, Colo.
	15	Paul Jones Whipple	Sherman L., Jr., and Margaret Jones	Brookline	St. Louis, Mo.
	17	Feleg James Chandler	Peleg J. and Annie W. Lacey	Plymouth	Plymouth
	17	Lois Hope Sloan	Louis R. and Hope E. Manter	Bethel, R. I.	Wareham
	17	Stillborn			
	19	Dorothy Helen Ketchen	William J. and Ethel M. White	Everett	Wakefield
	19	William Zuppioli	Pasquale and Adelcisa Ricchi	Italy	Italy
	20	Everett Anthony Pretti	Orlando and Rita Fantoni	Italy	Italy
	20	Elizabeth J. Krim	Charles F. and Irene D. Ward	Poston	Worcester
	23	George Palmer Holmes	George P. and Constance M. Cushman	Kingston	Brocton
	25	Charles Albion Anderson	Albion and Agnes E. Johnson	Sweden	Plymouth
	26	Josephine Markus	Myer and Bessie Chesler	Russia	Russia
	26	Diolinda Rodrigues	Antone and Emma Botelho	Italy	St. Michaels
	27	Geraldo Albertini	Alexander and Laura Monti	Italy	Plymouth
	30	George Franklin Holman	Edward F. and Cozette Soule	Fitzwilliam, N. H.	Duxbury
	30	Dorothy Josephine Musto	Gennaro and Annie Ruggerio	Italy	Italy
Sept.	2	Pauline Barengo	John and Teresa Aneone	Italy	Italy
	2	Mary Souza	Rogerio and Eugenia Silva	Portugal	Portugal
	4	— Viera	Louis and Evangeline Amarini	Portugal	Portugal
	5	Dorris Evelyn Bliss	Frederic A. and Dorris P. Tribble	Providence, R. I.	Brocton
	7	John Alves	John and Olive Souza	Portugal	Portugal
	7	Jennie Louisa Mazzilli	Frank and Mary Giabba	Italy	Italy
	8	Dorothy Hazel Brouillard	Joseph D. and Loretta Rose	Rhode Island	Rhode Island
	8	— Balboni	Ralph and Mary E. Malaguti	Italy	Plymouth
	9	Florence Hazel Richmond	George R. and Ina B. Patterson	Plymouth	Nova Scotia
	10	Barbara Elizabeth Sherman	Alton M. and Mable Kelley	Boston	Troy, N. Y.
	14	— Ruprecht	Joseph C. and Anna M. Siever	Syria	Germany
	15	Phyllis Mae Haddad	Karam and Ida Coury	Italy	Syria
	16	Warren Censer Borgatti	Prosperino and Carrie Palavanichi	Italy	Italy
	16	Shirley Goldsmith	Nathan and Annie Shoman	Russia	Russia
	17	Sherman Albert Nicholson	Albert J. and Lillian G. Chapman	Nova Scotia	Chelsea
	18	Josephine Marie Morini	Aleisi and Louise Bregoli	Italy	Italy
	21	James Norman Loughi	James J. and Margaret Nordstrom	Plymouth	Plymouth
	21	Catherine Rosa Leonardi	Silvio O. and Helen C. Bartlett	Italy	Clinton
	22	Elizabeth Covell	Lewis H. and Bernice L. E. McKiel	Wareham	Natick
	23	Alonzo Francesco Marvelli	Robert F. and Lydia M. Corazzari	Italy	Plymouth
	23	Harold William Crane	John H. and Ethel N. Davis	Stafford Springs, Ct.	Stafford Springs, Ct.
	23	Alton Eyo Zaniboni	Evo and Edonia Pirani	Wareham	Italy
	25	Frank F. Lawrence	Antone F. and Mary Pacheco	Portugal	Portugal
	26	Barbara Griswold	Franklin B. and Mildred L. Thyng	Plymouth	Lynn

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Sept.				
27	Ronald Ellsworth Cook	Charles M. and Mabel M. Martin	Wareham	Plymouth
27	Eduardo Marques	Francisco and Mary Isobel	Portugal	Portugal
27	Louis Joseph Taddia	Alfred and Eliza Fassanari	Italy	Italy
29	Olive Mae Davies	Frank A. and Olive L. Lacey	Lubec, Me.	Plymouth
29	Sylvia Frances Walter	Alfred P. and Sophie Jesse	Portugal	Portugal
29	George Jesse	Mmanuel and Mary Jesse	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
30	Richard Henry Dries	Henry E. and Fannie K. Puderzani	New York, N. Y.	Plymouth
30	Albert Collins Post	Albert A. and Beatrice C. Cole	Plymouth	Plymouth
30	John Couté	John and Rosie Santos	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
Oct.				
1	John Gallo	Francesco and Adelaide Garnerio	Italy	Italy
2	Edith Blakenian Gardner	Douglas M. and Gloria M. Enmond	Plymouth	Kingston
2	Helen Phyllis Peterson	Leroy M. and Blanche W. Simmons	Duxbury	Duxbury
3	William Rodney Neal	Rodney B. R. and Edna W. Keenc	Mattapoisett	Pembroke
3	Robert Gardner Watterson	Albert G. Jr. and Christine F. Raymond	Jamaica Plains	Plymouth
5	Leona Anne Carroll	Napoleon and Lena Ouellette	Bridgewater	Portland, Me.
5	Wesley Everson Burgess	Ervin C. and Mariot B. Weston	Wareham	Hyde Park
9	Lawrence Delano Raymond	Nathaniel M. and Ella C. Reynolds	Plymouth	Duxbury
9	George Peter Moskos	Peter G. and Camilla Rullo	Greece	Italy
10	Alfred Joseph Sitta	Peter and Leonora Malaguti	Brazil	East Boston
10	Maria Candida Vccere	Giuseppe and Mariannina Francario	Italy	Italy
10	John Silva	Joseph and Mary Gloria	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
12	William Clarence Ide	George W. and Ellen Iampens	Pascoag, R. I.	Belgium
14	Helen Beatrice Govoni	Chester and Minnie Rogers	Plymouth	Portugal
21	Virginia Frances Sampson	Earl C. and Claire L. Hodgdon	Plymouth	Dorchester
23	Sylvia Hersey Fry	Russell T. and Dorothy Whipple	Chicago, Ill.	Canada
25	Debora Perry	Antone and Mary Almeda	Plymouth	St. Michaels
26	Robert Bryant Swift	Maynard B. and Ethel O. Wood	St. Michaels	Fitchburg
27	Anne Bailey	Roland S. and Dorice A. Hall	Plymouth	Plymouth
31	Mary Elizabeth Edes	Oliver L. and Della S. Spencer	East Boston	Manchester, N. H.
31	— Silva	Joseph M. and Erminia Viera	Plymouth	Azores
Nov.				
3	George Morgado	Joseph and Mary Rose	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
5	Raymond Joseph Bibeau	Peter and Vina A. Martin	Leicester	Lebanon, N. H.
6	Phyllis Reinhardt	Norman P. and Ruth Hoyle	Kingston	Boston
6	Malcolm Morse Marsden	George C. and Anna I. Dearborn	Auburn	Woburn

Nov.

10	Robert Clayton Drew	Irving C. and Florence F. Brown	Kingston	Plymouth
10	Illegitimate			
11	Caroline Marget Russell	Allen D. and Dorothy M. Durham	Plymouth	Mt. Kisco, N. Y.
12	Carl Warren Hathaway	Herbert W. and Irene S. Vassar	Bourne	Providence, R. I.
16	John Belisle St. George	Walter C. and Alice A. McCormack	Italy	West Newton
18	— Ruggiero	James and Mary	Italy	Italy
21	George Cabral	John and Antonia Alameda	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
23	Stillborn			
23	Charlotte Ann Adams	Warren L. and Lily Tong	Plymouth	England
24	William Warrington Riley	Michael and Helen Fetherston	Ireland	Ireland
24	Ruth Frances Riley	Michael and Helen Fetherston	Ireland	Ireland
24	Pasquale Iodice	Giovanni and Clementina Manziella	Italy	Italy
25	Gordon Delano Davis	Manley E. and Edna F. Delano	New Brunswick	Plymouth
27	Alice Pacheco Soares	Antone P. and Mary Ventura	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
30	Henry John Darsch	Alfred and Clara Herget	Plymouth	Germany

Dec.

7	Edward John Krawetz	Samuel and Helen Schuman	Russia	New York
7	Edmund Francis Costa	Mannuel and Mary Dries	Portugal	Portugal
7	Roy Louis McLean	George R. and Harriet C. Brown	Plymouth	Newburyport
11	Alice Dorothy Tavernelli	Sebastian and Elide Zaniboni	Italy	Italy
13	Eugene Raposa	Joe and Mary I. Medeiros	Azores	Azores
16	Cecelia Jane Mobbs	John A. and Sarah C. Hurden	England	England
19	Carmine Cabral	Marion and Josephine Ferreira	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
20	Arthur Dwight Johnson	Marjander and Luella M. Blanchard	England	Neponset
23	Harold Emerson Rogers	Rodmond D. and Helen D. Emerson	Plymouth	Campello
23	Virginia Furtado	John and Mary Almeida	Portugal	Portugal
23	Martha Rita Thomas	Alphonso and Annie Diaz	Azores	Azores
25	Viola Rose Milburn	Harrison and Rosa E. Brooks	Plymouth	Richmond, Va.
26	— Davis	Granville E. and Helen M. Sawyer	Hollis, Me.	Plymouth
26	Barbara Madeline Kritznacher	Jacob A. and Teresa M. White	Plymouth	Plymouth
27	Elizabeth Ruby Horn	William F. and Elizabeth F. Griswold	Middleboro	Plymouth
27	Josephine Rosa	Mannuel and Josephine Costa	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
28	Stillborn			
28	Maria Isabel Cruz	Manuel and Mary R. Travasas	Portugal	Azores
28	Lois Madelyn Rovatti	Louis and Margaret K. Korth	Italy	Plymouth
30	Gertrude Lorraine Baker	Horace F. and Doris L. Braley	Springfield	Plymouth
31	Joseph Victor	Antone and Mary Julia	St. Michaels	St. Michaels

DEATHS REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1922.

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M D		
Jan.	5 Lillian E. Davis,	26	2 24	Septic Peritonitis,	William A. Smith and Eliza E. Hill
	5 Mary Costa,	29	4 25	Lobar Pneumonia,	Joseph Furtard and Francisca Jesus
	9 Albion Anderson,	36	7 2	Broncho-Pneumonia,	Anders Olson and Almine Larson
	9 Alexander S. Eadie (died in Ver-				
	mont),	57	—	Carcinoma of Rectum,	John Eadie and Margaret Severson
	10 Mary F. Sampson,	60	5 25	Lobar Pneumonia,	Joseph Poole and Angenetta Baker
	14 Julia A. W. Cobb,	77	6 8	Organic Heart Disease,	Samuel Briggs and Amelia N. Burt
	22 Shadrach A. Raymond,	74	5 19	Carcinoma of Bladder,	Shadrach A. Raymond and Emeline Bates
	22 Charles E. L. Nickerson,	45	8 30	Internal Injuries,	Stephen C. Nickerson and Martha A. Nickerson
	22 John R. Sears,	13	7 19	Diphtheria,	John Sears and Margaret Maher
	22 Manuel Arruda,	51	6 7	Lobar Pneumonia,	Joseph Arruda and Anelma Traverso
	23 Nehemiah R. Nickerson,	70	4 3	Chronic Nephritis,	Judah Nickerson and Silvia Joy
Feb.	24 Diamantina Rego,	—	—	Natural Causes,	Annibaldo Rego and Virginia Gomes
	26 Josiah Carver,	77	— 23	General Paralysis,	John Carver and Sarah Perkins
	31 Annie M. Welch,	62	9 22	Chronic Nephritis,	James Welch and Mary Norton
	4 Arthur Cabral,	1	6 20	Broncho-Pneumonia,	Marino Cabral and Josephine Ferrari
	5 Mary A. Browne (died in Boston),	71	— 17	Arterio-Sclerosis,	— Harris and Anne —
	5 Mary Robbins (died in Boston),	52	— 5	Diabetes Melletus,	William F. Peterson and Irene Savery
	6 Ellen F. H. Tillson,	45	8 29	Gallstones,	William M. Tillson and Ellen F. Hedge
	9 Alice B. Cash,	41	4 5	Carcinoma of Uterus,	William R. Neal and Helen Mitchell
	9 Louis P. Dunn (died in Kingston),	70	— 11	Angina Pectoris,	Patrick Dunn and Ellen Mullaney
	10 Charles Masi,	19	4 24	Typhoid Fever,	Peter Masi and Caroline Gilli
	14 Miranda R. Sampson,	86	6 17	Myocarditis,	Truman Sampson and Ruth Burgess
	23 Antone Fratus,	—	5 29	Broncho Pneumonia,	Manuel Fratus and Mary Sousa
Mar.	23 Alfred J. Bolt (died in New York),	42	1 13	Asphyxia,	John Bolt and Catherine Baumgardner
	24 Levi R. Sampson,	81	3 20	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Truman Sampson and Ruth Burgess
	26 Arthur W. Burbank (died in Carver),	59	9 9	Acute Indigestion,	Asaph S. Burbank and Lucretia Bump
	27 William H. Green (died in Taunton),	80	1 29	Arterio Sclerosis,	Richard Green and Mary T. Green
	27 Mary Ella Noyes,	64	11 25	Paresis,	Joshua B. Noyes and Mary J. Green
	28 Elizabeth M. Sterling,	58	11 20	Lobar Pneumonia,	Henry Morse and Caroline Morse
	1 Fannie B. Taylor,	70	—	Cancer of Intestines,	— — — and — — —
	1 Mary A. Dolphin,	51	5 9	Broncho Pneumonia,	Robert A. Utley and Sarah Foster
	1 Louis Borgatti,	68	—	Broncho Pneumonia,	Vincent Borgatti and Rosie Alberghini

Mar.	1	Josephina Langinotti,	76	9	26	Cancer of Uterus,	Frank Francisco and Mary Caorsi
	2	Marie Brewer,	29	4	15	Diphtheritic Laryngitis,	Louis C. Covill and Marie Larson
	5	Ada B. Dyer,	63	8	17	Lobar Pneumonia,	Dryden F. Smith and Emily Webster
	5	George Webster Dyer,	33	9	14	Pneumonia,	George S. Dyer and Ada B. Smith
	6	Manuel Almeida,	—	4	25	Acute Milk Infection,	Frank Almeida and Claminda Risi
	6	Sophia S. Sherman,	89	9	20	Senile Debility,	Thomas Dimon and ——— Sylvester
	8	Bruno Gavoni,	1	6	4	Diphtheria,	Guy Gavoni and Annie Bretti
	12	Marie Bencordo,	—	—	8	Purpura Hemorrhagica,	Le-3 F. Bencordo and Marion J. Coleman
	13	Ida C. C. Wood,	45	—	18	Chronic Brights Disease,	John Brady and Catherine Sullivan
	14	Martha H. Wood,	68	6	24	Chronic Myocarditis,	Edward Hargin and Jane Wiley
	14	John Donovan,	41	—	—	Heart Disease,	John Donovan and ———
	15	Vincent Busi,	17	4	11	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Paul Busi and Amelia Cappello
	16	Fama F. Green,	75	1	14	Bronchial Pneumonia,	Levi Robbins and Harriet ———
	17	Elisha T. Nelson,	76	4	—	Chronic Parenchymatous Nephritis	Charles Nelson and Lucy Bartlett
	18	Clara Gifford (died in Medfield),	65	—	—	Lobar Pneumonia,	Jephtha Gifford and Nancy Gifford
	18	Catherine McCarthy,	23	4	16	Acute Parenchymatous Hepatitis,	Francis McCarthy and Mary Downey
	21	Frank A. Villano,	—	—	1	Non-Development, Enlarged Liver,	Micelli Villano and Florence Chiavarelli
	21	Thomas D. Harlow,	88	6	11	Embolism, Cerebral Valvular Disease of the Heart,	Jabez Harlow and Betsy Harlow
	22	Priscilla Raymond,	75	6	26	Broncho Pneumonia,	Seabury Raymond and Mercie McLaughlin
	23	Mary Aucutt,	—	—	3	Prenature Birth,	Louis Aucutt and Celia Savel
	26	Mary Sullivan,	96	—	—	Senile Debility,	William O'Neil and Mary White
	26	William B. Leonard,	81	5	5	Chronic Myocarditis,	Horatio Leonard and Sarah Sampson
	28	Mary J. Purington,	80	3	22	Chronic Myocarditis,	Abner H. Harlow and Jane R. Randall
	30	Irene M. Drummond (died in Hanson)	25	1	15	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	John Marshall and Nora Donovan
Apr.	1	Jay Oliver Harlow,	36	10	10	Lobar Pneumonia,	Ivory W. Harlow and Maria E. Harvey
	4	—, —, —,	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ———
	5	—, —, —,	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ———
	6	Margaret Donahue,	48	—	—	Carcinoma of Stomach and Intestines,	Thomas Hoarley and Bridget McGuiness
	6	Ellen Morton,	74	7	24	Valvular Heart Disease,	Joseph T. Cushman and Sarah B. Holmes
	7	Myrtis A. Chandler (died in Hanson),	56	1	23	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	John Cripps and Eliza Grigg
	8	Antone Costa Thomas,	19	hours	—	Featal Heart,	Antone Costa Thomas and Mary C. Albert
	10	—, —, —,	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ———
	17	Margaret Olive Metz,	—	—	3	Prenature Birth,	John Metz and Ellen Wilson
	18	Nella Baker (died in Tewksbury),	80	11	9	Arterio Sclerosis,	James Wood and Martha Bliss
	20	Elmer E. Douglas,	51	2	11	Enlargement of Heart with Valvular Disease,	Nathan K. Douglas and Angelina Thrasher
	21	Emice A. Wilde,	20	7	5	Septic Peritonitis,	Frank Schofield and Hattie Carnes
	23	Andrew Norton,	64	3	19	Apoplexy with Paralysis,	Andrew Norton and Ellen M. Smith
	23	Alice Fontes,	—	3	11	Diphtheria,	Mariano Fontes and Maria Pacheco

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Date	Name	Age Y M D	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
May 2	Lucy Maria Holmes,	88 11 28	Broncho-Pneumonia,	Kendall Holmes and Betsey Pety
4	—	—	Stillborn	— and —
6	Albert T. Hatfield (died in East Bridgewater),	45 3 3	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Thomas L. Hatfield and Alice Grady
7	Minnie F. Bates,	55 6 22	Cancer of Breast,	Samuel S. Knight and Melissa Gillingham
7	Cornelius W. Churchill (died in Springfield),	35 8 24	Double Lobar Pneumonia,	Ernest T. Churchill and Hepsibeth Watkins
8	George G. Gardner,	54 2 —	Bladder Trouble,	George G. Gardner and Deborah Wade
12	Joanna O'Brien,	59 6 —	Addison's Disease,	William O'Brien and Anne Mylett
12	Francis B. Holmes,	70 2 29	Kidney and Heart Disease,	Isaac B. Holmes and Lucy Wadsworth
14	Mary J. Doten,	82 11 22	Carcinoma of Left Arm and Axillary Glands,	Timothy Dixon and Emeline Hunt
15	Eunice M. Bryant,	69 8 13	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis,	John Raymond and Jida Braley
15	Phoebe Humphrey,	3 — 1	Intestinal Stenosis,	Fred Humphrey and Katherine S. —
18	Margaret Henry,	82 4 8	Infirmity of Old Age,	Peter Young and Margaret —
18	Dorothy McClain (died in Hanson),	21 5 1	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	John Chandler and Myrtis A. Cripps
19	Mary F. Stoddard,	76 1 3	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Jacob Baldwin and Martha B. Bruce
23	George W. Holmes (died in Abington),	67 6 16	Natural Causes, Dropped Dead on Highway,	Samuel Holmes and Hannah O. Joyce
31	—	—	Stillborn,	— and —
31	Ida Resnick (died in Hanson),	25 — 6	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Isaac Woklin and Sarah D. —
June 2	George W. Bradford,	— — —	Stillborn,	— and —
2	Frederick DeCarli,	66 11 28	Enlargement of Heart,	Winslow Bradford and Charlotte A. Lannan
5	Addie E. Douglas,	~ — 7	Prenature Birth,	Joseph DeCarli and Fannie Fioechi
6	Sarah A. Ashton,	55 3 4	Septicaemia. Hemorrhage,	Louis Thrasher and Adeline Morton
7	—	53 6 8	Malignant Tumor of Spleen and Intestines,	John Roberts and Mary J. Lord
8	Alfreda M. Schlack,	53 2 5	Peniculous Anaemia,	David Ballard and Eliza J. Lord
8	William A. Brown (died in Hanson),	5 9 10	Tubercular Meningitis,	John T. Brown and Rosie Silva
11	Cornelia E. Byrnes,	84 5 8	Arterio Sclerosis,	Rufus Gammons and — Phillips
12	Harriet H. Gay,	93 — 16	Cirrhosis of Liver,	John Battles and Clarissa Spear
12	George Everett Palmer,	50 8 4	Dead in Bed. Probably Angina Pectoris,	George F. Palmer and Elizabeth B. Plumber
14	Emory A. Ellis,	60 4 5	Chronic Myocarditis,	Alden M. Ellis and — Perry

June	16	Anna J. Chase,	73	10	7	Cancer of Stomach,	Henry Douglass and Josephine Lindsay
	16	Nellie A. Nutter (died in Kingston),	62	2	16	Erysipelas,	Branch E. Blackner and Lucretia Bates
	20	Joshua T. Cushing,	58	7	22	Chronic Endocarditis,	Joshua M. Cushing and Fannie A. Lyon
	22	Golde Cohen,	58	—	—	Uraemic Convulsions,	Joseph Umansky and Eva Tolchinsky
	25	Daniel J. Carland,	69	8	23	Myocarditis,	John Carland and Jane Mitchell
	25	Ziba R. Ellis,	69	3	23	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Ziba Ellis and Deborah E. Gibbs
	28	Catherine Kelley,	80	10	—	Arterial Sclerosis,	Tom Holloran and Sarah ———
July	1	Madeline Finney (died in Boston),	4	3	24	Tubercular Meningitis,	Edward Finney and Cecelia Siever
	2	Carl Nelson (died in Hanson),	47	8	22	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Hans Nelson and Elinor Benson
	3	Arcencio Furtado,	60	11	8	Aortic Regurgitation of Heart,	Antonio Furtado and Mary ———
	4	James Dawson (died in Lakeville),	29	—	24	Phthisis Pulmonalis,	Daniel Dawson and Tina McKay
	6	Emily F. Bartlett,	77	11	17	Valvular Disease of Heart,	Benjamin Parker and Johanna ———
	6	Charles A. Strong,	64	—	13	Uraemic Convulsions and Heart Failure,	Benjamin O. Strong and Betsey J. Chute
	7	Ethel K. Blodgett,	45	9	14	Paralysis of Intestines,	Ephraim Allen and Eveline Allen
	8	Adelaide V. Moore (died in Cambridge),	69	11	11	Valvular Disease of Heart,	William B. Bothamly and Frances E. Turney
	9	Peter Bouse,	45	3	6	Ulcers of Intestines,	Jacob Bouse and Katherin Weichel
	10	Francis L. Mellen,	74	2	2	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Granville Gardner and Maria ———
	15	Frank R. Peterson,	69	11	23	Intestinal Obstruction,	John C. Peterson and Roxanna Howard
	15	Grace M. Pierce,	55	11	14	Malignant Papilloma of Pelvic Organs,	George W. Pierce and Ellen Southworth
	15	Laura A. Holmes,	84	9	12	Valvular Lesion of Heart,	Almer H. Harlow and Mary A. Snow
	18	William H. Harlow,	74	2	20	Organic Heart Disease,	David Harlow and Eliza ———
	20	Minetta MacConnell,	64	1	6	Septicaemia,	Jerome B. Hale and Sophie P. Spear
	22	Mary Pratt,	76	8	22	Carcinoma,	James Pratt and Caroline Bartlett
	23	Martha D. Robbins,	68	10	29	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Augustus Baker and ———
	25	———,	—	—	—	Stillborn,	——— and ———
	27	William H. Faunce,	76	10	8	Dropped Dead. Probably Organic Heart Disease,	Thaddeus Faunce and Mary A. Warner
	27	Mary L. Ferguson,	76	8	20	Nephritis,	John Dissett and Jane Hawkins
	28	C. Oliver Prince,	49	7	27	Myocarditis,	Charles A. Prince and Margaret Welch
Aug.	1	Deborah H. King (died in North Brookfield),	73	1	8	Arterio Sclerosis,	Benjamin Finney and Mary Churchill
	3	Roland Viau,	5	8	20	Fracture of Skull,	Ernest Viau and Helen Sullivan
	4	———,	—	—	—	Stillborn,	——— and ———
	8	Antone Costa,	—	11	4	Convulsions,	Antone Costa and Maria Angels
	8	Mary Crowley,	82	—	—	Chronic Brights Disease,	Martin Keough and Mary Downey
	10	George F. Soule,	76	11	13	Parkinsons Disease,	George F. Soule and Leonora ———

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		Y	M		
Aug.	13 Joseph Pacheco,	20	5	15 Acute Indigestion,	Mariano Pacheco and Mary L. Pery
	15 Jennie L. Bowker,	62	7	14 Dilated Heart. Nephritis,	Davis W. Bowker and Lucia D. Faunce
	17 _____,	—	—	— Stillborn,	_____ and _____
	18 Louis P. O'Donnell (died in Boone, Md.),	52	4	9 Cancer of Throat,	James O'Donnell and Mary Rafferty
	20 Francis H. Hughes,	42	7	24 Fracture of Skull,	John F. Hughes and Johanna Dacey
	21 Robert Davie Sears,	72	10	2 Cancer of Groin,	Hiram B. Sears and Lydia Davie
	22 Heman Robbins,	81	3	8 Arterio Sclerosis,	Heman C. Robbins and Mary _____
	22 Melissa F. Harlow,	79	2	12 Interstitial Nephritis,	John Morrison and Jeanette Davis
	22 Samuel G. Broadbent,	58	10	7 General Paralysis,	Thomas Broadbent and Margaret Dickerson
	22 Sarah F. White,	81	11	12 Uremia,	Charles Clark and Sarah Cook
	23 Elizabeth J. Krim,	—	—	3 Premature Birth,	Charles F. Krim and Irene D. Ward
	23 Susan A. Cretnon,	—	8	6 Convulsions,	George Cretnon and Alace Basler
	26 James H. Paulding (died in Han- son),	75	3	5 Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	James T. Paulding and Nancy Thrasher
	27 John Mason,	53	3	3 Chronic Nephritis,	John Mason and Bridget Hartwell
	27 Katie Torrance (died in Taunton),	52	9	27 General Paralysis,	George Steidle and Charlotte Snyder
	28 Sylvanus W. Churchill (died in Hanson),	50	8	28 Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Sylvanus L. Churchill and Isabella Holmes
Sept.	2 Ephraim D. Bartlett,	69	2	12 Rheumatism. Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Louis Bartlett and Achsah Giddings
	5 _____ Viera,	—	—	1 Premature Birth,	Louis Viera and Evangeline Amarini
	6 George Webster Cortiss,	69	3	8 Chronic Brights Disease,	Horace Cortiss and Nancy Bond
	7 Harold Clarence Ernst,	67	1	6 Peritonitis,	Andrew H. Ernst and Sarah H. Otis
	8 _____ Ballboni,	68	1	hour Premature Birth,	Ralph Ballboni and Mary Maingutti
	9 William W. Ross,	68	7	27 Cancer of Prostate,	Benjamin Ross and Sarah Beadley
	14 Marcia E. Caswell,	52	—	— Embolism,	Gilbert A. Sawyer and Annis Boulter
	14 Americus Cromwell,	59	4	28 Interstitial Nephritis,	Charles Cromwell and Mary E. Leonard
	15 Eva M. Pearson (died in North Carver),	45	—	7 Automobile Accident,	Ezra F. Pearson and Abbie F. Morse
	16 _____,	—	—	— Stillborn,	_____ and _____
	17 Lyman W. Briggs, Jr. (died in Boston),	2	1	21 Stricture Oesophagus,	Lyman W. Briggs and Margaret Anderson
	18 Eliza Harlow (died in Taunton),	79	—	— General Arterio Sclerosis,	Sylvanus Harvey and Eliza Vaughn
	18 Halvor Torgeson,	62	—	2 Organic Heart Disease,	Torgc Torgeson and Ieger Halverson
	18 Frank Rosetti,	37	—	— Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Carmio Rosetti and Mary Altieri

Sept.	20	Jennette B. Smyth,	80	—	22	Mycarditis,	Clark Finney and Jennette Burt
	25	Victor H. Forstmeier, Jr.,	49	10	19	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis,	Victor H. Forstmeier and Pauline Banker
	30	William C. Whiting,	65	4	4	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Samuel Whiting and Lucy Anne Clark
Oct.	4	Nellie Warren Bennett,	46	7	19	Chronic Endocarditis,	George W. Wood and Elizabeth Holmes
	6	Julia Peverley Small,	1	2	29	Lobar Pneumonia,	Thomas L. Small and Fredrika Churchill
	8	Mary Jane Bartlett,	85	4	16	Organic Heart Trouble,	Nathaniel Bartlett and Lucia Holmes
	10	Victor H. Forstmeier,	80	—	2	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Herman Forstmeier and Katherine —
	11	Francis A. Makepeace,	52	—	—	Fracture of Skull,	Alvin S. Makepeace and Ruhannah Powers
	13	George H. Malloy,	57	3	27	Interstitial Nephritis,	Martin Malloy and Eliza Beeson
	14	Marjorie Higgins,	28	1	6	Chronic Brights Disease,	Frank E. Ductlew and Eva Lucas
	14	Joseph Caron,	48	—	—	Fracture of Skull,	John Caron and Margaret Sheinard
	16	Amos Andrews (died in North Reading),	22	7	14	Tuberculosis,	Antone Andrews and Mary Andrews
	17	Martha A. Nickerson,	85	7	27	Arterial-Sclerosis,	Solomon Nickerson and Ann Smith
	17	Jennie B. Clement (died in Quebec),	63	—	9	Acute Pancreatitis,	Charles Weston and Nancy C. Barnes
	19	Secondo Soldati,	57	—	7	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Valevia Soldati and Maria Sasoli
	20	Walter Spooner (died in Boston),	55	7	7	Tuberculosis,	James W. Spooner and Sophronia Smith
	23	Mary Sears,	73	—	25	Organic Heart Disease,	Jeremiah McCarthy and —
	23	John L. Jones,	37	2	—	Appendicitis,	Edwin B. Jones and Fanny J. Ford
	24	Julia A. Braley,	77	5	20	Fracture of Hip,	William Pittsley and Emily Center
	24	Sarah A. Perkins,	84	11	24	Valvular Disease of Heart,	John Rogan and Margaret Cassidy
	26	Fyhliss V. Bryant,	—	10	1	Acute Indigestion,	William C. Bryant and Lertha E. Nickerson
	27	Freeman Rose,	65	—	—	Angina Pectoris,	Eugene Rose and Catena —
	29	George H. Dunham,	80	—	14	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Richard B. Dunham and Hannah Chandler
	30	Elizabeth S. Bartlett,	80	8	11	Arterial Sclerosis,	Nathan Barker and Susan Hazard
Nov.	1	John B. Arthur (died in Boston),	63	6	21	Cancer of Lip and Face,	Richard Arthur and Betsey Dunham
	2	Charles Strother, Jr.,	3	8	24	Bronchial Pneumonia,	Charles Strother and Gertrude Kentle
	3	Mercy T. Burgess,	79	—	24	Arterial Sclerosis with Paralysis,	Henry Weston and Henrietta Holmes
	6	Myron F. Manter (died in Hanson),	40	7	26	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	George A. Manter and Sarah Pierce
	6	Lydia K. Scott,	94	4	3	Chronic Myocarditis,	James Baxter and Mary Wiswell
	9	Barnabas L. Harlow,	80	7	25	Angina Pectoris,	Lewis Harlow and Betsey Holmes
	9	Mary Lockwood,	91	—	15	Arterial Sclerosis,	— Smith and —
	10	Benoni Boucher,	61	4	4	Fracture of Thigh, Bronchial Pneumonia,	—
	12	Dorris Irene McGovern,	—	9	2	Broncho-Pneumonia,	Louis Boucher and Adele Pote
	12	Zorada F. Briggs (died in Rutland),	45	10	14	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Fred C. McGovern and Ethel White
	14	Abbie F. Cole,	66	5	—	Apoplexy. Paralysis of right side,	John B. Briggs and Annette Cornish
	16	Charlesworth Ainley,	66	10	1	Chronic Valvular Heart Disease,	Jesse R. Atwood and Miriam Atwood
							Thomas Ainley and Sarah Charlesworth

DEATHS—Continued.

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M D		
Nov.	18 Elena Bathelca,	64	11 —	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	John Souza and Francisca Jesus
	23 Mabel A. Dries,	23	5 12	Eclampsia,	Olin W. Hutchinson and Charlotte L. Craig
	23 — — — — —	—	— —	Stillborn,	— — — — — and — — — — —
	25 George H. Lyle,	89	— —	Sclerosis,	George Lyle and Eveline Craig
	26 Belinda Forniciari,	26	8 15	Cerebral Arteries,	Ettore Forniciari and Esther Forni
	29 Albert G. Watterson (died in Boston),	49	8 24	Valvular Disease of Heart,	William J. Watterson and Angeline F. Vaughan
Dec.	1 — — — — —	35	min.	Premature Birth,	Albert Roland and Charlotte Drew
	1 Stephen Doten,	87	11 10	Heart Failure from Old Age,	Stephen Doten and Betsey Leach
	2 Hannah E. Griffin,	87	5 8	Disease of Heart,	George W. Griffin and Marcia Harvey
	2 Mary T. Ellis,	79	6 28	Abdominal Tumor,	Thomas C. Adams and Eunice Briggs
	3 Annie M. Brenner,	79	2 4	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	August Wirzburger and — — — — —
	3 Joseph Dupuis (died in Groton),	33	11 22	Chronic Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	Julius Dupuis and Theresa McCarthy
	4 Mary E. Weston,	72	7 8	Cerebral Hemorrhage,	Leavitt Finney and Mary Weston
	4 Isabella Leonard (died in Worcester),	82	6 21	Pneumonia,	Earnabus Ellis and Marcia R. Doten
	6 Frank Costa,	—	2 25	Marasmus,	Alfredo Costa and Rose Furtardo
	7 Bessie H. Weston,	82	4 5	Broncho Pneumonia,	Joseph Churchill and Betsey Ellis
	12 Robert Mitchell (died in Hanson),	45	10 29	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	John Mitchell and Ann Ponge
	13 George W. Wood,	65	3 —	Carcinoma of Liver,	William T. Wood and Julia A. Brewster
	16 Agnes W. Randall,	62	6 14	Perforation of Stomach,	William Dunn and Mary Boag
	20 Ellen J. Metz,	36	8 16	Chronic Parenchymatous Nephritis,	Joseph H. Wilson and Margaret Flynn
	21 Adele Caviechi,	62	— 6	Fatty Heart,	Joseph Acarsi and Laura Acarsi
	22 Cornelius J. Wren,	53	6 17	Angina Pectoris,	John Wren and Nora Enright
	27 Walter A. Reed,	53	6 9	Alcoholism,	George W. Reed and Susan Reed
	28 — — — — —	—	— —	Stillborn,	— — — — — and — — — — —
1918 Oct.	28 Delia A. Nickerson (died in Hanson),	51	— 14	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	David Nickerson and Hannah Nickerson
	16 John Harrison Murray (died in France),	23	5 18	Killed in Action,	Patrick Murray and Hattie M. White
	23 Walter A. Eastwood (died in France),	22	9 27	Killed in Action,	Frank Eastwood and Lemyra Ellis

SUMMARY.

MARRIAGES, 1922.

Number registered in 1922,	133
Both parties born in—	
United States,	80
Italy,	8
Portugal,	4
Russia,	1
St. Michaels,	1
Ireland,	1
France,	1
Cape Verde Islands,	1
Mixed, One American,	30
Mixed, neither American,	6
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	133

BIRTHS, 1922.

Number registered, 299, of which 29 were non-residents.

Males,	141
Females,	158
Both Parents born in—	
United States,	119
Italy,	42
St. Michaels,	24
Portugal,	20
Azores,	10
Russia,	6
Cape Verde Islands,	3
Ireland,	3

Germany,	2
Canada,	2
Nova Scotia,	2
England,	1
Syria,	1
Mixed, One American,	54
Mixed, Neither American,	10
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	299

DEATHS, 1922.

Number of deaths registered 225, of which 43 were non-residents and 42 died out of town, burial taking place in Plymouth.

Born in—

United States,	179
Ireland,	8
Italy,	6
Nova Scotia,	6
Germany,	5
England,	4
St. Michaels,	3
Portugal,	2
Sweden,	2
Canada,	2
Russia,	2
Switzerland,	1
Cape Verde Islands,	1
Scotland,	1
New Brunswick,	1
Azores,	1
Newfoundland,	1
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	225

There have been issued from the Town Clerk's office for the year 1922, licenses as follows:

481 Resident Citizen's Combination Certificates of Registration.

3 Non-Resident Citizen's Combination Certificates of Registration. (Property owners.)

484

346 Resident Hunter's and Trapper's Certificates of Registration.

1 Non-Resident Hunter's and Trapper's Certificate of Registration. (Property owner.)

347

233 Resident Fisherman's Certificates of Registration.

11 Non-Resident Fisherman's Certificates of Registration.

4 Non-Resident Fisherman's Certificates of Registration. (Property owners.)

248

102 Resident Lobster Fisherman's Certificates of Registration.

3 Non-Resident Lobster Fisherman's Certificates of Registration.

4 Alien Lobster Fisherman's Certificates of Registration.

109

11 Trapper's Certificates of Registration.

112 Female Dog Licenses.

607 Male Dog Licenses.

719

There have also been paid from this office bounties on 7 seals.

GEORGE B. HOWLAND, *Town Clerk.*

Eleventh Annual Report

OF THE

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

OF THE

TOWN OF PLYMOUTH

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

1922

Plymouth, Mass., February 1, 1923.

To the Board of Selectmen,

Plymouth, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the financial transactions of the Town of Plymouth for the year ending December 31, 1922, arranged as in former years.

Schedule A. shows the receipts and payments for the year, classified as required by the Division of Accounts of the Commonwealth.

Schedule B. is a detailed account of each appropriation, showing the amount appropriated, the additions to and the payments from same.

Schedule C. is a statement of the Estimated Receipts; the charges being the amounts estimated and deducted from the total of the appropriations, by the Assessors, in making the Tax Warrant, and the credits being the amounts actually received during the year.

Schedule D. is the Revenue Account for the year.

Schedule E. is the Excess and Deficiency Account for 1922.

Schedule F. is the Balance Sheet, January 1, 1923, showing the condition of the Town Finances after closing the books for 1922.

Schedule G. is a summary of the Outstanding Indebtedness, showing the debt at the beginning of the year, the amounts paid on same, and the principal and interest requirements for 1923.

Schedule H. is a detailed statement of the Outstanding Indebtedness.

Schedule I. is an itemized statement of the Trust Funds, not including the January, 1923 dividends.

The corporation tax received from the State exceeded the estimated amount by over \$17,000, and the income tax, also received from the State, exceeded the estimate by over \$4,300.

The fixing of a fee of \$5.00 for licenses to Inn-holders, Common Victuallers and for Sunday sales, by a vote of the Board of Selectmen passed at the beginning of the season, has resulted in receipts by the Town Treasurer of \$485.00.

Bills contracted in 1922 by the School Department amounting to \$2,729.45 are unpaid for lack of funds in the appropriation.

I recommend that appropriation be made to cover this amount.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER R. HARLOW, *Town Accountant.*

SCHEDULE A. **RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS** **RECEIPTS**

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
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GENERAL REVENUE.

1. TAXES.

Current Year—

1. Property,	\$401,168.53		
2. Poll,	17,148.00		

Previous Years—

3. Property,	72,473.57		
4. Poll			

From State—

5. Corporation,	77,163.82		
6. Street Railway			
7. Bank,	1,387.43		
Income Tax,	15,288.32		
Income Tax (School Funds),	16,433.75		
Reimbursement for Loss of Taxes,	309.91		
Reimbursement for Sol- diers' Exemptions,	67.87		

Total from Taxes,	\$601,441.20		\$601,441.20
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2. LICENSES AND PERMITS.

Licenses—

8. Liquor,	\$2.00		
9. All Other,	1,218.50		

Permits—

10. Marriage			
11. All Other,	1,229.00		

Total from Licenses and Permits,	\$2,449.50		2,449.50
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3. FINES AND FORFEITS.

12. Court,	\$467.58		
13. Department Penalties			
14. Contract Violations			

Total from Fines and Forfeits,	\$467.58		467.58
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Total forward,			\$604,358.28
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RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$604,358.28

4. GRANTS AND GIFTS.

Grants from Other Civil Divisions—

15. From State for Education (Smith-Hughes Funds),	\$236.61	
a. Support of Public Schools		.
b. Aid to High Schools		
c. Aid to Industrial Schools		
d. High School Tuition		
e. Union Superintendency		
16. From State for Armories		
17. From State for Highway Purposes,	2,279.83	
18. From State for Other Purposes		
a. Inspector of Animals		
b. Protection against Forest Fires		
19. From County (Dog Licenses) for Schools or Libraries,	1,439.12	
From County for Highway Purposes,	2,279.83	

Gifts from Individuals—

20. For Expenses	
21. For Outlays	

Total from Grants and Gifts,	\$6,235.39	\$6,235.39
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5. ALL OTHER REVENUE.

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Total from All Other Revenue

Total forward,	\$610,593.67
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RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$610,593.67

COMMERCIAL REVENUE.

6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS.

24. Street Sprinkling		
25. Moth Extermination,	\$827.42	
26. Sewers		
27. Sidewalks and Curbing		
28. Other Purposes		
Total from Assessments,	<hr/> \$827.42	827.42

7. PRIVILEGES.

29. Public Service		
30. Minor		
Total from Privileges	<hr/>	
Total forward,		<hr/> \$611,421.09

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
Total forward,			611,421.09

8. DEPARTMENTAL.

8a. General Government.

Legislative—

31. Aldermen and Council; Moderator

Executive—

32. Mayor; Commission; Selectmen

Financial—

33. Auditor, Accounting

34. Treasurer

35. Collector, \$302.09

36. Assessors

37. License Commissioners

38. Other Finance Offices and Accounts

Other General Departments—

39. Law

40. City or Town Clerk, 5.50

General Government forward, \$307.59

Total forward, \$611,421.09

PAYMENTS

Objects of Payments,	PAYMENTS Expenses	Outlays	Total
1. DEPARTMENTAL.			
1a. General Government			
Legislative—			
1. Aldermen and Council; Moderator			
a. Salaries and Wages,	\$10.00		
b. Other Expenses,	112.07		
Executive—			
2. Mayor; Commission; Selectmen			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,800.00		
b. Other Expenses,	377.38		
Financial—			
3. Auditor, Accountant, Auditing			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,500.00		
b. Other Expenses,	168.17		
4. Treasurer			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,300.00		
b. Other Expenses,	199.28		
5. Collector			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,518.00		
b. Other Expenses,	545.46		
6. Assessors			
a. Salaries and Wages,	3,629.35		
b. Other Expenses,	1,108.53		
7. License Commissioners			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
8. Other Finance Offices and Accounts			
a. Sinking Fund Commissioners			
b. Miscellaneous,	44.00		
Other General Departments—			
9. Law			
a. Salaries and Wages,	795.00		
b. Other Expenses,	5.00		
10. City or Town Clerk			
a. Salaries and Wages,	724.00		
b. Other Expenses,	691.38		
General Government forward,	\$14,527.62		

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$611,421.09
General Government forward,	\$307.59		
41. City Messenger			
42. Public Works			
43. Engineering			
44. Superintendent of Buildings			
45. Election and Registration			
46. Other General Departments			
<i>Municipal Buildings—</i>			
47. City or Town Hall,	244.64		
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Total from General Government,	\$552.23		552.23
<i>8b. Protection of Persons and Property</i>			
<i>Police Department—</i>			
48. Services of Officers			
49. Sale of Materials			
50. Miscellaneous,	\$46.15		
Protection of Persons and			
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Property forward,	\$46.15		
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Total forward,			\$611,973.32

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
General Government forward,	\$14,527.62		
11. City Messenger			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
12. Public Works			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
13. Engineering			
a. Salaries and Wages,	733.42		
b. Other Expenses,	179.19		
14. Superintendent of Buildings			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
15. Election and Registration			
a. Salaries and Wages,	730.00		
b. Other Expenses,	455.95		
16. Other General Departments			
Planning Board,	76.80		
<i>Municipal Buildings—</i>			
17. City or Town Hall			
a. Salaries and Wages,	519.25		
b. Other Expenses,	1,280.69		
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Total for General Government,	\$18,502.92		\$18,502.92
<i>1b. Protection of Persons and Property</i>			
<i>Police Department—</i>			
18. Salaries and Wages,	\$15,589.84		
19. Horses and Care (Auto			
Expense),	704.17		
20. Equipment and Repairs,	530.69		
21. Fuel and Light,	447.51		
22. Maintenance of Buildings			
and Grounds,	79.73		
23. New Buildings			
24. Other Expenses,	222.84		
Protection of Persons and			
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Property forward,	\$17,574.78		
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Total forward,			\$18,502.92

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$611,973.32
Protection of Persons and Property forward,	\$46.15		
<i>Fire Department—</i>			
51. Sale of Materials and Building,	88.75		
52. Miscellaneous			
<i>Militia—</i>			
53. Armories			
54. Rifle Ranges			
<i>Inspection—</i>			
55. Inspection of Buildings			
56. Inspection of Wires			
57. Sealing of Weights and Measures,	226.89		
<i>Forestry—</i>			
58. Insect Pest Extermination,	90.00		
59. Planting and Trimming Trees,	28.00		
60. Forest Fires,	483.68		
<i>Other Protection of Persons and Property—</i>			
61. Bounties on Seals,	12.00		
62.			
63.			
Total from Protection of Persons and Property,	\$975.47		975.47
Total forward,			\$612,948.79

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$18,502.92
Protection of Persons and			
Property forward,	\$17,574.78		
<i>Fire Department—</i>			
25. Salaries and Wages,	21,784.84		
26. Horses and Care of Same,	25.00		
27. Equipment and Repairs,	1,880.01	\$2,565.94	
28. Hydrant Service,	240.55		
29. Fuel and Light,	951.81		
30. Maintenance of Buildings			
and Grounds,	333.85		
31. New Buildings			
32. Other Expenses,	175.10		
<i>Militia—</i>			
33. Armories			
34. Rifle Ranges,	187.81		
<i>Inspection—</i>			
35. Inspection of Buildings			
36. Inspection of Wires			
37. Sealing of Weights and			
Measures,	1,353.37	800.00	
<i>Forestry—</i>			
38. Insect Pest Extermination,	5,398.47		
39. Planting and Trimming			
Trees,	2,362.58		
40. Forest Fires,	8,384.83		
<i>Other Protection of Persons</i>			
<i>and Property</i>			
41. Bounties on Seals,	14.00		
42. Fish Wardens (Shell Fish),	200.00		
43. Inland Fisheries,	108.50		
44. Lungmotor,	2.00		
Ladders and Ring Buoys,		31.69	
Total for Protection of Per-			
sons and Property,	\$60,977.50	\$3,397.63	64,375.13
Total forward,			\$82,878.05

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$612,948.79
<i>Sc. Health and Sanitation</i>			
<i>Health—</i>			
64. Quarantine and Contagious Disease Hospitals,	\$163.24		
65. Tuberculosis			
66. Miscellaneous			
67. Inspection,	197.45		
<i>Sanitation—</i>			
68. Sewers and Sewage Disposal,	160.72		
69. Sewer Construction			
70. Refuse and Garbage Disposal			
71. Street Cleaning			
<i>Other Health and Sanitation—</i>			
72.			
73.			
Total from Health and Sanitation,	\$521.41		521.41
Total forward,			\$613,470.20

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$82,878.05
<i>1c. Health and Sanitation</i>			
<i>Health—</i>			
45. General Administration,	\$754.95		
46. Quarantine and Contagious Disease Hospitals,	5,411.12		
47. Tuberculosis,	13,939.09		
48. Vital Statistics,	253.05		
49. Other Expenses,	1,252.75		
50. Inspection			
a. Inspection of School Children,	5,523.92		
b. Inspection of Animals,	433.36		
c. Inspection of Meat and Provisions,	866.64		
d. Inspection of Milk and Vinegar,	389.86		
<i>Sanitation—</i>			
51. Sewer Maintenance and Operation,	5,396.01		
52. Metropolitan Sewer Maintenance			
53. Sewer Construction,		\$3,780.17	
54. Refuse and Garbage Dis- posal,	1,966.74		
55. Street Cleaning,	4,163.16		
<i>Other Health and Sanitation—</i>			
56. Sanitaries and Public Con- venience Stations,	1,760.58		
57. Care of Brooks and Streams			
58. Draining of Ponds			
59.			
Total for Health and Sanita- tion,	\$42,111.23	\$3,780.17	45,891.40
Total forward,			\$128,769.45

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$613,470.20
<i>8d. Highways</i>			
74. General,	\$205.54		
75. Construction			
76. Sidewalks and Curbing,		\$723.32	
77. Snow and Ice Removal			
78. Sprinkling			
a. Water			
b. Other			
79. Lighting			
80. Miscellaneous,	2.00		
Total from Highways,	\$207.54	\$723.32	930.86
<i>Se. Charities</i>			
81. Almshouse or Town Farm			
a. Sale of Produce and Stock,	\$178.75		
b. Board,	235.00		
c. Miscellaneous,	9.52		
82. Reimbursements for Relief Given			
a. From Individuals,	100.50		
b. From Other Cities and Towns,	191.45		
c. From the State,	1,254.35		
83. Reimbursements for Mothers' Aid,			
a. From Individuals			
b. From Other Cities and Towns			
c. From the State,	1,603.75		
84. Municipal General Hospitals			
85. Miscellaneous			
Total from Charities,	\$3,573.32		3,573.32
Total forward,			\$617,974.38

PAYMENTS.			
Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$128,769.45
1d. Highways			
60. General Administration,	\$2,697.83		
61. General Highway Expen- ditures,	36,127.54	\$1,162.46	
62. Construction,		22,175.42	
63. Sidewalks and Curbing,	3,421.14	3,974.79	
64. Snow and Ice Removal,	1,997.40		
65. Sprinkling			
a. Water,	345.00		
b. Other,	3,623.89		
66. Lighting,	13,345.94		
67. Other Expenses			
a. Town Pump (Drinking Fountains),	198.72		
b. Signs, Guide Boards and Street Numbering,	363.22		
c. Fences,	439.10		
d. Harbor Master,	150.00		
e. Landing Float,	729.01		
Total for Highways,	\$63,438.79	\$27,312.67	90,751.46
1e. Charities			
68. General Administration,	\$454.68		
69. Almshouse or Town Farm,	7,140.20		
70. Outside Relief by City or Town,	8,093.08		
71. Relief given by Other Cities and Towns,	320.72		
72. Mothers' Aid			
a. Relief given by City or Town,	2,862.51		
b. Relief given by Other Cities and Towns			
73. Municipal General Hospitals			
74. Other Expenses,	42.34		
Widows, from Income from Old Colony National Bank Stock Investment,	71.00		
Total for Charities,	\$18,984.53		18,984.53
Total forward,			\$238,505.44

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$617,974.38
<i>Sf. Soldiers' Benefits</i>			
86. State Aid,	\$2,214.00		
87. Military Aid,	92.50		
88. Soldiers' Burials,	60.00		
89. Soldiers' Relief			
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Total from Soldiers' Benefits,	\$2,366.50		2,366.50
<i>Sg. Schools</i>			
90. Tuition and Transportation of State Wards			
91. Other Tuition,	\$293.75		
92. Sale of Text Books and Supplies			
93. Miscellaneous,	209.84	\$100.00	
Vocational,	2,518.27		
Americanization,	906.25		
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Total from Schools,	\$3,928.11	\$100.00	4,028.11
<i>Sh. Libraries</i>			
94. Fines, Rentals, Sales			
95. Miscellaneous			
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Total forward,			\$624,368.99

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$238,505.44
<i>1f. Soldiers' Benefits</i>			
75. General Administration			
76. State Aid,	\$2,172.00		
77. Military Aid,	589.00		
78. Soldiers' Burials			
79. Soldiers' Relief,	7,306.32		
Furnishing Employment for			
Soldiers,	4,502.08		
Total for Soldiers' Benefits,	\$14,569.40		14,569.40
<i>1g. Schools</i>			
80. General Expenses			
a. Administrative Salaries,	\$3,430.00		
b. Other General Salaries,	1,500.00		
c. Other General Expenses,	2,987.36		
81. Teachers' Salaries,	138,770.87		
82. Text Books and Supplies,	7,288.76		
(Typewriters, etc.),		\$872.40	
83. Tuition,	393.31		
84. Transportation,	9,107.32		
85. Support of Truants,	120.04		
86. Janitors' Services,	10,900.52		
87. Fuel and Light,	11,818.65		
88. Maintenance of Buildings			
and Grounds,	12,559.73		
89. New Buildings			
90. Furniture and Furnishings,	562.80		
91. Rent,	150.00		
92. Other Expenses,	178.36		
Total for Schools,	\$199,767.72	\$872.40	200,640.12
<i>1h. Libraries—</i>			
93. Salaries and Wages			
94. Books, Periodicals, etc.			
95. Binding			
96. Fuel and Light			
97. Buildings			
98. Other Expenses,	\$5,595.50		
Total for Libraries,	\$5,595.50		5,595.50
Total forward,			\$459,310.46

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$624,368.99
<i>Si. Recreation</i>			
96. Parks and Gardens,	\$327.75		
97. Playgrounds and Gymnasia			
98. Bathhouses and Beaches,	777.35		
99. Celebrations and Entertainments			
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Total from Recreation,	\$1,105.10		1,105.10
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Total forward,			\$625,474.09

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$459,310.46
<i>ii. Recreation</i>			
99. General Administration			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
100. Parks and Gardens			
a. Salaries and Wages,	\$2,212.32		
b. Improvements and Additions			
c. Metropolitan Park Maintenance			
d. Other Expenses,	371.78		
101. Playgrounds and Gymnasia			
a. Salaries and Wages,	931.67		
b. Improvements and Additions,		\$1,300.00	
c. Other Expenses,	311.57		
102. Bathhouses and Beaches			
a. Salaries and Wages,	535.00		
b. Improvements and Additions			
c. Other Expenses,	145.50		
103. Celebrations and Entertainments			
a. Fourth of July,	4.00		
b. Labor Day			
c. Band Concerts			
d. All Other,	49.50		
Total for Recreation,	\$4,561.34	\$1,300.00	5,861.34
Total forward,			\$465,171.80

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$625,474.09
<i>8j. Pensions</i>			
100.			
Total from Pensions			
<i>8k. Unclassified</i>			
101. Receipts not Recorded under			
Previous Classifications			
a.			
b.			
c.			
Total from Unclassified,			
Total forward,			<hr/> \$625,474.09

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$465,171.80
<i>1j. Pensions</i>			
104. Retirement from			
a. Highway Department,	\$636.25		
b. Department			
c. Department			
Total for Pensions,	\$636.25		636.25
<i>1k. Unclassified</i>			
105. Damages to Persons and Personal Property,	\$616.98		
106. Memorial Day,	275.00		
107. City and Town Clocks,	211.21		
108. Searching Parties			
109. Ice for Drinking Fountains			
110. Payments not Recorded under Previous Classi- fications			
a. Printing City or Town Reports,	2,026.25		
b. Sexton,	150.00		
c. Care of Flags on Train- ing Green,	132.46		
d. Providing Headquarters for Post of American Legion,	330.00		
e. Providing Headquarters for Camp of Spanish War Veterans,	116.67		
f. Honor Roll,	30.15		
g. Repairs to Town Bell,	1.30		
Total for Unclassified,	\$3,890.02		3,890.02
Total forward,			\$469,698.07

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$625,474.09

9. PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

102. Electric		
a. Income from Sale of Light and Power		
b. Miscellaneous		
103. Gas.		
a. Income from Sale of Gas		
b. Sale of By-products		
c. Miscellaneous		
104. Water		
a. Income from Sale of Water,	\$38,275.08	
b. Miscellaneous,	101.00	
105. All Other		
a. Markets		
b. Public Scales		
c. Docks and Wharves		
d. Ferries		
e. Herring and Alewife Fisheries,	926.00	
f. Miscellaneous		

Total from Public Service En- terprises,	\$39,302.08	39,302.03
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10. CEMETERIES.

106. Sale of Lots and Graves,	\$2,076.29
107. Care of Lots and Graves,	1,332.33
108. Care of Endowed Lots, (Interest on Funds),	723.17
109. Miscellaneous,	3,018.81

Total from Cemeteries,	\$7,150.60	7,150 60
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11. ADMINISTRATION OF TRUST FUNDS.

110.	
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112.	
Total from Administration of Trust Funds,	
Total forward,	

\$671,926.77

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$469,698.07

2. PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

111. Electric			
a. Maintenance and Operation			
b. Construction			
112. Gas			
a. Maintenance and Operation			
b. Construction			
113. Water			
a. Maintenance and Op- eration,	\$19,061.05	\$786.49	
b. Metropolitan Water Maintenance			
c. Construction		7,292.11	
114. All Other			
a. Markets			
b. Public Scales			
c. Docks and Wharves			
d. Ferries			
e. Herring and Alewife Fisheries,	64.45		
f. Miscellaneous			
Total for Public Service En- terprises,	\$19,125.50	\$8,078.60	27,204.10

3. CEMETERIES.

115. Maintenance,	\$11,594.29		
116. Improvements and Additions,		\$582.76	
Total for Cemeteries,	\$11,594.29	\$582.76	12,177.05

4. ADMINISTRATION OF TRUST FUNDS.

117.			
118.			
119.			
Total for Administration of Trust Funds,			
Total forward,			\$509,079.22

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Revenue for Expenses	Indebtedness	Total
Total forward,			\$671,926.77

12. INTEREST.

113. On Deposits		
114. On Deferred Taxes,	\$5,036.87	
115. On Deferred Special Assessments		
116. On Sinking Funds		
117. On Investment Funds,	300.00	
118. On Public Trust Funds		
a. Charity,	126.09	
b. School,	18.47	
c. Library,	95.50	
d. Cemetery (for General Care)		
e. All Other (Parks),	101.25	
119. Miscellaneous		
Total from Interest,	\$5,678.18	5,678.18

13. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.

120. Loans in Anticipation of Revenue,	\$250,000.00	
121. Other Temporary Loans		
122. Loans for General Purposes		
123.		
124. Loans for Public Service Enterprises		
125. Loans for Cemeteries		
126. Bonds Refunded, Current Year		
127. Premiums		
128. Unpaid Warrants or Orders of Current Year,	492.50	
Total from Municipal Indebtedness	\$250,492.50	250,492.50
Total forward,		\$928,097.45

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Indebtedness	Total
Total forward,			\$509,079.22

8. INTEREST.

120. On Loans in Anticipation of Revenue,	\$5,830.21		
121. On Other Temporary Loans			
122. On Loans for General Purposes,	6,007.63		
123. On Trust Funds Used			
124. On Loans for Public Service Enterprises,	1,211.50		
125. On Loans for Cemeteries			
126. Metropolitan Interest Requirements a. Sewer, b. Park, c. Water.			
127. State Assessment for Interest on Account of Abolition of Grade Crossings			
128. All Other			
Total for Interest,	<u>\$13,049.34</u>		13,049.34

6. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.

129. Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	\$270,000.00		
130. Other Temporary Loans			
131. Bonds and Notes from Sinking Funds a. General b. Public Service Enterprises c. Cemeteries			
132. Bonds and Notes from Revenue a. General,	\$26,589.66		
b. Public Service Enterprises,	3,266.66		
133. Metropolitan Sinking Fund and Serial Loan Requirements a. Sewer, b. Park, c. Water.			
134. State Assessment for Abolition of Grade Crossing Loan Fund			
135. Bonds Refunded, Present Year			
136. Warrants or Orders of Previous Years,	<u>492.50</u>		
Total for Municipal Indebtedness,	\$29,856.32	\$270,492.50	300,348.82
Total forward,			<u>\$822,477.38</u>

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Non-Revenue	Total
Total forward,		\$928,097.45

14. SINKING FUNDS.

From Commissioner to meet Loans for—

- 129. General Purposes
- 130. Public Service Enterprises
- 131. Cemeteries
- Total from Sinking Funds

15. AGENCY, TRUST, AND INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS

Temporary
Accounts

Agency—

- 132. Taxes
 - Included in General Receipts
 - a. State
 - b. Non-Resident Bank
 - c. County
- 133. Liquor Licenses Collected for the State
- 134. Reimbursements for Abolition of Grade Crossings
- 135. All Other

Trust—

- 136. Perpetual Care Funds, \$4,536.80
- 137. Other Permanent Public Trust Funds
- 138. Income for Investment
- 139. Private Trust Funds and Accounts

Investment—

- 140. Sinking Fund Securities
- 141. Investment Fund Securities

\$4,536.80	4,536.80
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Total forward,	\$932,634.25
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PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	From Revenue	From Non-Revenue	Total
Total forward,			\$822,477.38

7. SINKING FUNDS.

To Commissioner for Debt Requirements—

- 137. From Taxes, Earnings, etc.
- 138. From Special Assessments
- 139. From Sale of Real Estate, etc.
- Total for Sinking Funds .

8. AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS.

Temporary
Accounts

Agency—

- 140. Taxes
 - a. State, \$57,900.74
 - b. Non-Resident Bank, 5,567.25
 - c. County, 34,935.01
- 141. Liquor Licenses Remitted to the State
- 142. Abolition of Grade Crossings
- 143. All Other

Trust—

- 144. Perpetual Care Funds, 4,536.80
- 145. Other Permanent Trust Funds
- 146. Income Invested
- 147. Private Trust Funds and Accounts

Investments—

- 148. Sinking Fund Securities
- 149. Investment Fund Securities
- Total for Agency, Trust and Investment

Transactions,	\$102,939.80	102,939.80
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Total forward,		\$925,417.18
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RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts,	Temporary Accounts and Cash Balances	Total
Total forward,		\$932,634.25

16. REFUNDS.

142. Taxes (Refund of 1921 War Poll Tax by State),	\$318.00	
143. Licenses		
144. Special Assessments,		
145. General Departments,	1,858.24	
146. Public Service Enterprises,	7.00	
147. Cemeteries		
148. Accrued Interest		
149. All Other		
Total Refunds,	\$2,183.24	2,183.24

17. TRANSFERS.

150. Departmental		
a. Taxes from Misc. Acct.,	\$37.00	
b. Sewers, from School Dept.,	23.50	
c. Roads and Bridges, from Health Dept.,	105.93	
d. Roads and Bridges, from Sidewalks,	672.95	
e. Roads and Br., from Highway Const.,	748.35	
f. Roads and Bridges, from Misc. Acct.,	457.00	
g. O. G. & V. H. Cem., from Special Appro. for Grading and Surveying,	51.08	
h. Manomet Cem. Add., from C. M. C. & So. P. Cem.,	9.75	
i. Soldiers' Relief from Soldiers' Employment,	701.50	
Total Transfers,	\$2,807.06	2,807.06

18. BALANCES.

151. General,	\$18,176.11	
152. Sinking Fund		
153. Investment Fund		
154. Perpetual Care Fund		
155. Other Public Trust Fund		
156. Private Trust Funds and Accounts		
Total Cash on Hand Beginning of Year,	\$18,176.11	18,176.11
Grand Total Receipts and Cash on Hand,		\$955,800.66

PAYMENTS.		Temporary Accounts and Cash Balances	Total
Objects of Payments,			
Total forward,			\$925,417.18
9. REFUNDS.			
150. Taxes			
151. Licenses			
152. Special Assessments			
153. General Departments,		\$1,858.24	
154. Public Service Enterprises,		7.00	
155. Cemeteries			
156. Accrued Interest			
157. All Other			
Total Refunds,		\$1,865.24	1,865.24
10. TRANSFERS.			
158. Departmental			
a. Misc. Acct., to Taxes,		\$37.00	
b. School Dept., to Sewers,		23.50	
c. Health Dept., to Roads and Bridges,		105.93	
d. Sidewalks, to Roads and Bridges,		672.95	
e. Highway Const., to Roads and Bridges,		748.35	
f. Misc. Acct., to Roads and Bridges,		457.00	
g. Special Cem. Appro., to Oak Grove and V. H. Cemeteries,		51.08	
h. Manomet Cem., to Manomet Cem. Addition,		9.75	
i. Employment Appro., to Soldiers' Relief,		701.50	
Total Transfers,		\$2,807.06	2,807.06
11. BALANCES.			
159. General,		\$25,711.18	
160. Sinking Fund			
161. Investment Fund			
162. Perpetual Care Fund			
163. Other Public Trust Fund			
164. Private Trust Funds and Accounts			
Total Cash on Hand End of Year,		\$25,711.18	25,711.18
Grand Total Payments and Cash on Hand.			\$955,800.66

SCHEDULE B.

Being a detailed statement of each appropriation, showing the additions to and the payments from.

SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chairman,	\$900.00	
Other Selectmen,	600.00	
Clerk,	300.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,800.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$59.44	
Printing and Advertising,	213.55	
Car fares, Teams, etc.,	74.04	
All Other,	30.35	
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Total Other Expenses,		377.38
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Total Payments,		2,177.38
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$22.62

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$1,700.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Accountant,	\$1,500.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$57.20	
Printing and Advertising,	82.00	
All Other,	28.97	
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Total Other Expenses,	\$168.17	
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Total Payments,		\$1,668.17
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$31.83

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$1,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages—		
Salary of Town Treasurer,	\$1,300.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$94.03	
Premium on Treasurer's Bond,	100.00	
All Other,	5.25	
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Total Other Expenses,	199.28	
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Total Payments,		1,499.28
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		.72

TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2,150.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages.		
Salary of Tax Collector,	\$1,450.00	
Clerical Assistance,	68.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,518.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$318.41	
Printing and Advertising,	127.05	
Premium on Collector's Bond,	100.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		\$545.46
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Total Payments,		2,063.46
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$86.54

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$5,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Assessors' Salaries,	\$3,000.00	
Assistant Assessor,	127.35	
Clerks,	502.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$3,629.35
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$75.73	
Printing and Advertising,	914.00	
Car fares, Teams, etc.,	118.80	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,108.53
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Total Payments,		4,737.88
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$162.12

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$800.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Town Counsel,	\$100.00	
Special Attorneys,	695.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$795.00
All Other Expenses,		5.00
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Total Payments,		\$800.00

TOWN CLERK'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$1,450.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Clerk,	\$100.00	
Fees for Recording,	524.50	
Clerical Assistance,	624.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,248.50
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$91.20	
Printing and Advertising,	19.50	
All Other,	56.18	
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Total Other Expenses,		168.88
Total Payments,		1,415.38
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$34.62

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$900.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages :		
Salary of Town Engineer,	\$600.00	
Labor,	133.42	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$733.42
Other Expenses :		
Supplies,		137.49
Total Payments,		870.91
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$29.09

STREET LINE SURVEY.

Appropriation,		\$50.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Surveying and Plans,		41.70
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$8.30

PLANNING BOARD.

Appropriation,		\$100.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Surveying and Work on Maps,		76.80
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$23.20

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

Appropriation,		\$1,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages :		
Registrars,	\$273.00	
Clerk,	100.00	
Election Officers,	357.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$730.00
Other Expenses :		
Stationery and Postage,	\$4.10	
Printing and Advertising,	272.55	
Meals,	174.45	
All Other,	4.85	
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Total Other Expenses,		\$455.95
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Total Payments,		1,185.95
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$14.05

MAINTENANCE OF TOWN HOUSE.

Appropriation,		\$1,800.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salary of Janitor,	\$519.25	
Fuel,	375.66	
Lighting,	160.80	
Janitor's Supplies,	147.32	
Repairs,	109.30	
Telephones,	75.57	
Election Expenses,	364.49	
All Other,	47.55	
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Total Payments,		1,799.94
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		.06

TOWN HALL COMMITTEE.

Balance from 1921,	\$1,241.93
<i>Payments—</i>	
Easel for Exhibiting New Plans,	5.88
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Balance Remaining,	\$1,236.05

TOWN HALL.

Appropriation voted Oct. 11, 1919,	\$300,000.00
No Bonds Issued. No Payments.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 25,	\$15,000.00
Appropriation November 25,	2,500.00
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Total,	\$17,500.00

Payments—

Salaries and Wages:

Salary of Chief,	\$1,982.64
Patrolmen,	8,537.08
Special Officers,	4,415.12
Janitor,	500.00
Keeper of Lock-Up,	120.00
All Other,	35.00

Total Salaries and Wages,	\$15,589.84
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Transportation:

New Motorcycle,	\$379.73
Auto and Motorcycle Expense,	704.17

Total Transportation,	1,083.90
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Equipment and Repairs:

New Equipment,	\$52.11
Repairs,	14.10

Total Equipment and Repairs,	66.21
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Fuel and Light:		
Coal and Wood,	\$337.86	
Gas and Electricity,	109.65	
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Total Fuel and Light,		447.51
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Repairs,	\$40.24	
Janitor's Supplies,	39.49	
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Total Maintenance of,		
Buildings and Grounds,		79.73
Other Expenses:		
Stationery, Printing, Postage,	\$54.57	
Telephones,	149.78	
All Other,	18.49	
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Total Other Expenses,	\$222.84	
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Total Payments,		\$17,490.03
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$9.97

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New Uniforms.

Balance from 1921,	\$225.00
Payments—	
For New Uniforms,	84.75
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Balance Remaining,	\$140.25

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 25,	\$24,700.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	1,500.00	
Total,		\$26,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Chief,	\$2,200.00	
Assistant Chief,	2,014.36	
Firemen (Regular),	15,129.76	
Call Men,	2,338.22	
Other Employees,	102.50	
Total Salaries and Wages,		\$21,784.84
Equipment and Repairs:		
Apparatus,	\$1,604.20	
Hose,	808.81	
Equipment for Men,	128.03	
Fire Alarm,	147.78	
Horse Hire,	25.00	
Total Equipment and Repairs,		2,713.82
Hydrant Service:		
New Hydrants,	\$233.95	
Repairs,	6.60	
Total Hydrant Service,		240.55
Fuel and Light:		
Coal and Wood,	\$516.25	
Gas and Electricity,	435.56	
Total Fuel and Light,		951.81
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Janitor's Supplies,	\$157.68	
Repairs,	176.17	
Total Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,		333.85

Other Expenses :

Stationery, Printing, Postage,	\$10.51	
Telephones,	67.85	
Freight and Express,	54.89	
All Other,	41.85	
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Total Other Expenses,	175.10	
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Total Payments,		26,199.97
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$.03

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

New Pump.

Appropriation,		\$1,800.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Paid Seagrave Co. for Pump,	\$1,750.00	
Lights,	7.13	
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Total Payments,		1,757.13
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Balance Remaining,		\$42.87

SEALING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Appropriation,		\$2,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages.		
Salary of Sealer,	\$812.50	
Labor,	141.20	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$953.70

New Standard and Cabinet:

New Standard Balance,	\$450.00	
New Cabinet for Standard,	350.00	
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Total New Equipment,		800.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$26.77	
Printing and Advertising,	13.50	
Carfares, Teams, Auto Hire,	266.90	
All Other,	92.50	
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Total Other Expenses,		399.67
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Total Payments,		2,153.37
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$46.63

MOTH SUPPRESSION.

Appropriation,		\$5,400.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$1,227.00	
Labor,	2,493.25	
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Total Salaries and Wages.		\$3,720.25
Other Expenses:		
Auto and Sprayer Expense,	\$685.84	
Insecticides,	622.76	
Hardware and Tools,	48.40	
Car Fares, Teams, etc.,	286.25	
Telephone,	34.97	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,678.22
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Total Payments,		5,398.47
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1.53

TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2,250.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$390.00	
Labor,	959.03	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,349.03
Other Expenses:		
Insecticides,	\$306.97	
Teams,	99.00	
Hose,	255.85	
Sprayer Repairs,	188.48	
All Other,	48.75	
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Total Other Expenses,		899.05
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Total Payments,		2,248.08
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1.92

TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PLANTING SHADE TREES.

Appropriation,		\$150.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$64.50	
Trees,	50.00	
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Total Payments,		114.50
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Balance Remaining,		\$35.50

FOREST WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 25,	\$2,000.00	
Appropriation June 1,	5,000.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	600.00	
Appropriation from Reserve Account,	800.00	
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Total,		\$8,400.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Forest Warden,	\$300.00	
Clerical Assistance,	100.00	
Fighting Fires,	6,216.00	
Labor,	51.30	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$6,667.30	
Other Expenses:		
Apparatus,	\$1,184.84	
Team and Truck Hire,	349.90	
Meals,	62.59	
Telephone,	37.95	
All Other,	82.25	
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Total Other Expenses,	1,717.53	
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Total Payments,		8,384.83
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$15.17

SHELL FISH.

Appropriation,	\$200.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary of Supervisor, 4 mos. to May 1,	200.00

INLAND FISHERIES.

Appropriation,	\$100.00	
Transfer from Miscellaneous Account,	8.50	
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Total,		\$108.50
<i>Payments—</i>		
Fish and Carting,	\$53.50	
Labor and Material used at Ship Pond,	55.00	
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Total Payments,		108.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1921 Bills,	\$858.91	
Appropriation March 25,	14,000.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	2,400.00	
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Total,		\$17,258.91
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Expenses:		
Salary of Chairman,	\$325.00	
Salary of Secretary,	225.00	
Clerical Assistance,	41.00	
Stationery and Postage,	73.15	
Printing and Advertising,	41.00	
Freight and Express,	4.05	
All Other,	45.75	
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Total General Expenses,		\$754.95
Quarantine and Contagious Diseases:		
Board and Treatment,	\$2,552.14	
Medical Attendance,	569.50	
Drugs and Medicines,	.41	
Groceries and Provisions,	155.27	
Maintenance of Contagious		
Ward in The Jordan Hospital,	2,000.00	
All Other,	133.80	
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Total Quarantine and Contagious Diseases,		5,411.12

Tuberculosis :		
Board and Care,	\$4,381.98	
Medical Attendance,	18.00	
Groceries and Provisions,	464.52	
All Other,	169.41	
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Total Tuberculosis,		5,033.91
Vital Statistics :		
Births,	\$93.25	
Deaths,	159.80	
Total Vital Statistics,		253.05
Other Expenses :		
Agent,	\$100.00	
Ship Inspection,	60.00	
Plumbing Inspection,	367.00	
Fumigation and Disinfecting,	359.25	
Construction of Catch Basin,	105.93	
All Other,	66.50	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,058.68
Inspection :		
Animals,	\$433.36	
Meats and Provisions,	866.64	
Milk and Vinegar,	389.86	
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Total Inspection,		1,689.86
Public Dump.		
Labor,	\$1,849.45	
Expenses,	117.29	
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Total Public Dump,		1,966.74

Tuberculosis Dispensary :

Physicians,	\$312.50
Nurses,	218.00
Janitor's Service,	96.00
Rent,	396.00
Light,	14.25
Supplies,	51.40

Total Tuberculosis Dispensary,	1,088.15
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Total Payments,	17,256.46
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$2.45
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PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL.
MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation,	\$7,817.03
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Payments—

To Treasurer of Plymouth County,	7,817.03
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COMMUNITY NURSE.

Appropriation,	\$500.00
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Payments—

To Community Nurse Association,	300.00
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$200.00
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DEEPENING BED OF EEL RIVER BELOW BRIDGE.

Balance from 1921,	\$716.53
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No Payments.

PUBLIC SANITARIES.

Appropriation,	\$1,800.00
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Payments—

Janitor,	\$316.50
Other Care and Labor,	1,001.53
Supplies,	274.24
Repairs,	168.31

Total Payments,	1,760.58
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$39.42
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SEWER DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 25,	\$3,000.00	
Appropriation June 1,	2,000.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	400.00	
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Total,		\$5,400.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$2,649.10	
Teams,	39.87	
Equipment,	31.48	
Pipe and Fittings,	2,350.83	
Brick and Cement,	197.38	
Lumber,	121.92	
All Other,	5.43	
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Total Payments,		5,396.01
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$3.99

NEW OUTLET FOR MAIN SEWER.

Appropriation,		\$5,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Supervising Engineer,	\$350.00	
Labor,	1,443.63	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,793.63
Other Expenses:		
Pipe and Fittings,	\$1,450.64	
Lumber,	203.86	
Equipment,	177.04	
Teams,	20.80	
All Other,	28.27	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,880.61
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Total Payments,		3,674.24
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Balance Re-appropriated to Sewers, June 1,		\$1,325.76

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation March 25,	\$40,000.00	
Appropriation July 27,	1,500.00	
From Revenue for State Highway Tax,	6,658.87	
Total,		\$48,158.87
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Administration :		
Superintendent,	\$700.00	
Clerical Assistance,	364.00	
All Other,	1,633.83	
Total General Administration,		\$2,697.83
General Highway Expenditures :		
Labor,	\$12,651.24	
Teams and Trucks,	3,221.95	
Stone, Gravel, Etc.,	1,246.28	
Tar and Oils,	5,791.58	
Pipe and Cement,	54.53	
New One-ton Truck,	797.46	
New Buick Runabout (1-2 of cost),	365.00	
Other Equipment,	1,153.77	
Repairs,	773.75	
Auto Expense,	2,278.15	
Board and Shoeing of Horses,	1,170.03	
Freight and Express,	495.06	
State Highway Tax,	6,658.87	
All Other,	632.33	
Total General Highway Expenditures,		37,290.00
Street Cleaning :		
Labor,	\$3,314.16	
Teams,	772.54	
Equipment,	76.46	
Total Street Cleaning,		4,163.16

Other Expenses:		
Drinking Fountains,	\$198.72	
Street Signs,	348.22	
Fences,	439.10	
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Total Other Expenses,		986.04
Pensions,		636.25
Court Street Resurface,	\$967.32	
Water Street Resurface,	1,415.40	
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(Construction paid for from Maintenance Appro.)		
Payment to Contractors,		2,382.72
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Total Payments,		48,156.00
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$2.87

COURT STREET; RESURFACING.

Appropriation,	\$5,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
To Contractors,	5,000.00

WATER STREET; RESURFACING.

Appropriation,	\$3,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
To Contractors,	3,000.00

MAIN STREET EXTENSION ALTERATIONS AND SIDEWALK.

Balance from 1921,	\$271.73
No Payments.	

WARREN AVENUE WIDENING; DAMAGES.

Balance from 1921,	\$422.39
No Payments.	

WHITE HORSE ROAD.

Appropriation,		\$3,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$473.87	
Teams,	41.25	
Other Expenses,	2.15	
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Total Other than Contract,	\$517.27	
To Contractors,	2,977.20	
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Total Payments,		3,494.47
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Balance Remaining,		\$5.53

NEW BRIDGE AT EEL RIVER ON WARREN AVENUE.

Appropriation March 25,	\$5,500.00	
Cash from Commonwealth,	2,279.83	
Cash from County,	2,279.83	
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Total,		\$10,059.66
<i>Payments—</i>		
Advertising for Bids,	\$48.65	
Providing Detour,	1,439.61	
Other Labor and Material,	178.83	
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Total Other than Contract,	\$1,667.09	
To D. H. Jacobs & Son, A/C Contract,	6,631.14	
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Total Payments,		8,298.23
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Balance Remaining,		\$1,761.43

SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation,		\$3,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$1,477.97	
Teams,	36.50	
Equipment,	67.88	
Materials,	1,838.79	
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Total Payments,		3,421.14
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$78.86

CLIFF STREET SIDEWALK.

Appropriation,	\$750.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Labor and Material,	750.00

SIDEWALKS. GRANOLITHIC.

Balance from 1921,	\$113.39	
Appropriation March 25,	2,000.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	400.00	
Reimbursements Appropriated,	723.32	
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Total,		\$3,236.71
<i>Payments—</i>		
Granolithic (Contract),	\$150.17	
Labor and Teams,	1,626.48	
Cement,	773.05	
Stone and Gravel,	240.87	
New Cement Mixer,	341.87	
All Other,	92.35	
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Total Payments,		3,224.79
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Balance Remaining,		\$11.92

MANOMET SIDEWALK.

Balance from 1921,	\$78.90
No Payments.	

LANDING FLOAT.

Appropriation,	\$700.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Labor,	\$261.60
Lumber,	265.97
Hardware,	152.62
All Other,	19.81
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Total Payments,	700.00

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL.

Appropriation,		\$2,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$1,320.28	
Teams and Trucks,	263.64	
Equipment and Repairs,	410.48	
All Other,	3.00	
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Total Payments,		1,997.40
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$2.60

STREET SPRINKLING.

Appropriation,		\$4,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Water:		
Teams,	\$345.00	
Other:		
Labor,	\$5.20	
Materials,	3,618.69	
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Total Other,		3,623.89
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Total Payments,		3,968.89
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$31.11

STREET LIGHTING.

Appropriation,		\$13,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Street Lights,	\$13,267.94	
Range Lights,	78.00	
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Total Payments,		13,345.94
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$154.06

HARBOR MASTER.

Appropriation,	\$150.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary,	150.00

POOR DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$17,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	106.09	
Total,		\$17,106.09
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Administration:		
Salary of Chairman,	\$66.67	
Salary of Secretary,	350.00	
All Other,	38.01	
Total General Administration,		\$454.68
Almshouse:		
Salary of Superintendent,	\$624.00	
Other Salaries and Wages,	2,029.09	
Groceries and Provisions,	1,643.75	
Dry Goods: Clothing,	272.71	
Building and Fences,	382.69	
Fuel and Light,	1,127.93	
Equipment,	129.35	
Hay and Grain,	534.79	
All Other,	375.89	
Total Almshouse,		7,120.20
Outside Relief by Town:		
Cash,	\$2,183.50	
Rent,	816.90	
Groceries and Provisions,	3,700.96	
Coal and Wood,	476.45	
Dry Goods; Clothing,	.95	
Medical Attendance,	296.17	
Burials,	15.00	
State Institutions,	.....
Other Institutions,	349.15	
All Other,	254.00	
Total Outside Relief by Town,		8,093.08

Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns:

Cities,	\$300.72	
Towns,	20.00	
Total Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns,	320.72	
Other Expenses,	42.34	
Total Payments,		16,031.02
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1,075.07

INCOME FROM JULIA P. ROBINSON FUND.

Expended by Overseers of the Poor for Inmates of Almshouse, \$20.00

MOTHERS' AID.

Appropriation,		\$3,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Cash,	\$2,552.34	
Rent,	249.00	
Fuel,	40.25	
All Other,	20.92	
Total Payments,		2,862.51
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$637.49

WIDOWS' ACCOUNT.

Balance from 1921,	\$15.00	
Income from Bank Stock,	100.00	
Total,		\$115.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
To Widows,		71.00
Balance Remaining,		\$44.00

STATE AID.

Payments charged to Commonwealth,	\$2,172.00
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MILITARY AID.

Payments,	\$607.00	
Disallowed,	80.00	
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	\$527.00	
One Half Charged to Commonwealth,	263.50	
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Balance to be Appropriated by Town,		\$263.50

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Payments—

Cash,	\$2,669.25	
Groceries and Provisions,	348.50	
Fuel,	225.50	
Medical Assistance,	1,576.82	
Board and Care,	2,484.25	
All Other,	2.00	
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Total Payments to be Appropriated by Town,		\$7,306.32

PROVIDING EMPLOYMENT FOR SOLDIERS AND OTHERS.

Appropriation,	\$5,000.00	
<i>Payments—</i>		
Payrolls for Labor,	4,502.08	
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$497.92

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1921 Bills,	\$3,351.14	
Appropriation March 25,	202,635.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	18.47	
Total,		\$206,004.61
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Expenses:		
Superintendent's Salary,	\$3,430.00	
Clerk,	1,200.00	
Truant Officer,	300.00	
Printing, Stationery, Postage,	536.75	
Telephone,	50.16	
Traveling Expense,	574.27	
Automobile Expense,	1,093.54	
Freight and Express,	195.34	
School Census,	107.00	
All Other,	430.30	
Total General Expenses,		\$7,917.36
Teachers' Salaries:		
Day,	\$134,202.90	
Evening,	4,404.62	
Total Teachers' Salaries,		138,607.52
Text Books and Supplies:		
Text and Reference Books,	\$2,874.65	
Paper, Blank Books, etc.,	2,702.45	
Manual Training Supplies,	130.67	
Domestic Science Supplies,	1,014.44	
Industrial Education Supplies,	129.14	
Typewriters,	872.40	
All Other,	437.41	
Total Text Books and Supplies,		8,161.16
Tuition,		393.31

Transportation :		
Teams and Auto,	\$5,626.24	
Car Fares,	3,481.08	
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Total Transportation,		9,107.32
Support of Truants,		120.04
Janitors' Service :		
Day,	\$10,556.52	
Evening,	344.00	
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Total Janitors' Service,		10,900.52
Fuel and Light:		
Coal and Wood,	\$11,098.09	
Gas and Electricity,	720.56	
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Total Fuel and Light,		11,818.65
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds.		
Carpentry and Painting,	\$5,191.71	
Heating and Plumbing,	4,899.24	
Building Material,	169.29	
Flags and Flagstuffs,	55.73	
Janitors' Supplies,	781.00	
Telephones,	182.48	
Ashes, etc., Removed,	494.25	
All Other,	786.03	
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Total Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,		\$12,559.73
Furniture and Furnishings :		
Desks and Chairs,	\$313.37	
All Other,	249.43	
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Total Furniture and Furnishings,		562.80
Rent,		150.00

Other Expenses,		
Diplomas and Graduation,	\$118.36	
All Other,	60.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		178.36
Medical Inspection:		
Physician,	\$648.00	
School Nurse,	1,447.50	
Dental Nurse,	1,320.50	
Dentist,	701.90	
Dental Clinic, Supplies, etc.,	804.81	
All Other,	601.21	
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Total Medical Inspection,		5,523.92
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Total Payments,		\$206,000.69
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$3.92

SMITH-HUGHES FUNDS.

(FEDERAL FUNDS FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION.)

Received from Commonwealth, July 26, 1922,	\$236.61	
<i>Payments—</i>		
Teachers' Salaries,	163.35	
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Balance Remaining,		\$73.26

PLYMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation, Including 1921 Dog Tax,	\$5,000.00	
Income from Gates Fund,	95.50	
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Total,		\$5,095.50
<i>Payments—</i>		
To Treasurer of Library,		5,095.00

MANOMET PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$500.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
To Treasurer of Library,	\$500.00

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$3,300.00	
Income from Morton Fund,	101.25	
Total,		\$3,401.25

Payments—

General:

Salaries and Wages,	\$1,625.70	
Teams,	193.00	
All Other,	155.28	

Total General,	\$1,973.98	
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Bathing Beaches:

Labor,	\$535.00	
Supplies,	77.90	
Repairs,	67.60	

Total Bathing Beaches,	680.50	
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Total Payments,	2,654.48	
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$746.77	
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PARK DEPARTMENT, CUTTING AND PILING WOOD IN MORTON PARK.

Balance from 1921,	\$305.20	
Appropriation,	300.00	

Total,	\$605.20	
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Payments—

Labor,	318.88	
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Balance Remaining,	\$286.32	
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TRAINING GREEN.

Appropriation,		\$300.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages,	\$267.74	
Team,	2.00	
Loam,	5.00	
All Other,	1.50	
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Total Payments,		276.24
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$23.76

PARK DEPARTMENT, MAINTENANCE OF LAND ON TOWN BROOK.

Balance from 1921,		\$84.50
<i>Payments—</i>		
Paid for Rubbish Cans,		15.00
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Balance Remaining,		\$69.50

PARK DEPARTMENT, FOR PREPARING PLANS AND ESTIMATES FOR ACQUIRING LAND ON BOTH SIDES OF TOWN BROOK FOR PARK PURPOSES

Appropriation Nov. 25, 1922,	\$200.00
No Payments.	

STEPHENS FIELD.

Balance from 1921,	\$.15	
Appropriation March 25,	800.00	
Appropriation June 1,	500.00	
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Total,		\$1,300.15
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$931.67	
Teams,	158.39	
Right of Way,	25.00	
Pipe,	25.20	
All Other,	102.98	
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Total Payments,		1,243.24
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Balance Remaining,		\$56.91

STEPHENS FIELD, FOR PURCHASE OF STEPHENS'
LAND.

Appropriation,	\$800.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid to Mary S. Baker, et al., for title to land,	800.00

STEPHENS FIELD, RETAINING WALL.

Appropriation,	\$500.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid for Stone, Carting and Labor,	500.00

SEXTON.

Appropriation,	\$150.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary of Sexton,	150.00

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation,	\$275.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Observance of Memorial Day,	275.00

PROVIDING HEADQUARTERS FOR POST NO. 40, AMERI-
CAN LEGION.

Appropriation,	\$400.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
For Rent of Headquarters,	330.00
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	<hr/> \$70.00

PROVIDING HEADQUARTERS FOR UNITED SPANISH
WAR VETERANS.

Appropriation,	\$150.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
For Rent of Headquarters,	116.67
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	<hr/> \$33.33

SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL BUILDING.

Appropriation March 25, 1922,	\$60,000.00
No Bonds Issued. No Payments.	

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

Appropriation March 25,	\$3,500.00	
Appropriation July 27,	200.00	
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Total,		\$3,700.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Legislative:		
Moderator,	\$10.00	
Advisory and Finance Com-		
mittee, Printing,	61.50	
Wharf Relocation Committee		
Care Fare, etc.,	44.69	
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Total Legislative,	\$116.19	
Certifying Notes,	44.00	
Rifle Range Repairs,	187.81	
Ladders and Ring Buoys for Wharf,	31.69	
Transferred to Inland Fisheries Appropriation,	8.50	
Seal Bounty,	14.00	
Lungmotor Repairs,	2.00	
Landing Float,	29.01	
Sign on Wharf,	15.00	
Damages to Persons and Property,	125.07	
Workmen's Compensation,	491.91	
Town Clock Expenses,	211.21	
Care of Flags on Training Green,	132.46	
Repairs to Town Bell,	1.30	
Ringing Bells,	4.00	
Refinishing Honor Roll,	30.15	
Song Sheets for Pilgrim Processional,	4.50	
Entertainment of Naval Officers on Navy Day,	45.00	
Printing Town Reports,	2,026.25	
Purchase of Tax Titles by Town,	37.00	
Herring Stream Expenses,	64.45	
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Total Payments,		\$3,621.50
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		<hr/> \$78.50

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

Transferred from Reserve Overlay,	\$800.00
Transferred to Forest Warden's Appropriation,	800.00

WATER DEPARTMENT, MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation March 25,	\$19,000.00	
Appropriation Nov. 25,	800.00	
Labor and Materials to Other Departments,	110.82	
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Total,		\$19,910.82

Payments—

Administration:

Superintendent,	\$2,000.00
Registrar,	1,000.00
Clerk,	864.00
Stationery, Printing, Postage,	268.69
Telephones,	149.57
All Other,	305.75

Total Administration,	\$4,588.01
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General Expenditures:

Labor,	\$4,966.50
Pipe and Fittings,	348.56
Meters and Fittings,	1,192.93
Freight and Express,	38.65
New Ford Chassis,	421.49
One Half Cost of Buick Runabout,	365.00
Equipment and Repairs,	650.85
Auto Expense,	393.89
All Other,	256.34

Total General Expenditures,	8,634.21
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Service Connections.

Materials,	276.45
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Pumping Station :

Engineers,	\$2,700.00
Boilers and Pumps,	106.63
Oil, Waste, Packing,	268.44
Coal,	2,935.61
Building,	326.16
All Other,	12.03

Total Pumping Station	6,348.87
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Total Payments,	19,847.54
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$63.28
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WATER DEPARTMENT, CONSTRUCTION.

Balance from 1921,	\$1,292.11
Appropriation,	6,000.00

Total,	\$7,292.11
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Payments—

Labor,	\$3,643.23
Pipe and Fittings,	3,473.48
Tools and Equipment,	68.18
Electric Power,	18.00
All Other,	89.22

Total Payments,	7,292.11
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OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES.

Appropriation March 25,	\$9,000.00
Balance of Water Pipe Appropriation,	36.10
Balance of Monuments Appropriation,	59.65
Income from Trust Funds,	607.33

Total,	\$9,703.08
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Payments—

Salaries and Wages:

Superintendent,	\$1,365.00	
Clerical Assistance,	372.01	
Labor,	6,401.92	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$8,138.93

Other Expenses:

Teams,	\$374.89	
Loam and Fertilizer,	546.70	
Trees, Shrubs, etc.,	197.40	
Tools,	47.44	
Telephone,	20.41	
All Other,	333.67	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,520.51

Total Payments,		9,659.44
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$43.64

OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES.

(GRADING, SURVEYING AND PLANS.)

Appropriation July 27, 1922,	\$1,000.00
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Payments—

Superintendent,	\$45.00	
Labor,	232.66	
Teams,	59.00	
Surveying,	231.07	
Stakes,	15.03	
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Total Payments,	582.76
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Balance Remaining,	\$417.24

BURIAL HILL CEMETERY.

Appropriation,		\$1,700.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$150.00	
Labor,	1,168.99	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,318.99
Other Expenses:		
Teams,	\$34.00	
Loam and Fertilizer,	52.50	
Trees, Shrubs, etc.,	35.80	
Tools,	14.20	
All Other,	101.16	
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Total Other Expenses,		237.66
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Total Payments,		1,556.65
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		\$143.35

CHILTONVILLE, MANOMET, CEDARVILLE AND SOUTH
POND CEMETERIES.

Appropriation,	\$300.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	115.84	
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Total,		\$415.84
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$265.94	
Lumber,	86.88	
Paint,	18.75	
All Other,	6.63	
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Total Payments,		378.20
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$37.64

ADDITION TO MANOMET CEMETERY.

Balance from 1921,	\$136.90
No Payments.	

TOWN DEBT AND INTEREST.

Appropriation March 25,	\$48,000.00	
Premium on Plymouth County Hospital Bonds,	280.20	
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Total,		\$48,280.20
<i>Payments—</i>		
Interest:		
Loans in Anticipation of Taxes,	\$5,830.21	
Town Hall Lot Loan,	787.50	
Plymouth County Hospital Loan,	2,543.38	
Sewer Loans,	318.75	
School Loans,	1,380.00	
Other General Loans,	978.00	
Water Loans,	1,211.50	
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Total Interest,	\$13,049.34	
Town Debt:		
Town Hall Lot Loan,	\$1,000.00	
Plymouth County Hospital Loan,	6,889.66	
Sewer Loans,	1,000.00	
School Loans,	10,400.00	
Other General Loans,	7,300.00	
Water Loans,	3,266.66	
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Total Town Debt,	29,856.32	
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Total Payments,		42,905.66
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$5,374.54

SCHEDULE C.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Credits, Amounts Actually Received:

Corporation Tax,	\$77,163.82
National Bank Tax,	1,387.43
Income Tax,	15,288.32
Income Tax (School Funds),	16,433.75
Moth Assessment,	665.60
Tax Collector's Department,	302.09
Sealing Weights and Measures,	226.89
Health Department,	163.24
Sewers,	160.72
Highway Department,	205.54
Poor Department,	3,573.32
School Department,	4,225.56
Park Department,	1,105.10
Cemetery Department,	6,427.43
Interest,	5,036.87
Water Department,	38,962.68
Herring Fisheries,	926.00

Miscellaneous:

Reimbursement for Loss of	
Taxes,	\$309.91
Reimbursement for Soldiers'	
Exemptions,	67.87
Peddlers' Licenses,	456.00
Junk Licenses,	35.00

Pool and Billiard Licenses,	43.00	
Victuallers' and Sunday		
Licenses,	485.00	
All Other Licenses,	201.50	
Sewer Permits,	1,229.00	
Court Fines,	467.58	
Other Departmental,	915.72	
Income from Bank Stock,	200.00	
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	4,410.58	
Total Actual Receipts,	<hr/>	\$176,664.94
Charges, Estimated in Making Tax Warrant:		
Corporation Tax,	\$60,105.80	
National Bank Tax,	1,457.69	
Income Tax,	10,898.50	
Income Tax (School Funds),	16,433.75	
Moth Assessment,	830.19	
Tax Collector's Department,	315.29	
Sealing Weights and Measures,	239.92	
Health Department,	688.94	
Sewers,	127.75	
Highway Department,	187.50	
Poor Department,	4,145.48	
School Department,	3,624.55	
Park Department,	1,326.70	
Cemetery Department,	5,402.36	
Interest,	3,777.31	
Water Department,	39,441.86	
Herring Fisheries,	457.25	
Miscellaneous,	3,600.93	
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Total Estimated Receipts,		\$153,061.77
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Excess of Actual Receipts. See Revenue Ac-		
count (Schedule D.),		\$23,603.17

SCHEDULE D.

REVENUE ACCOUNT 1922.

Charges:

Total Appropriations,		\$535,984.75
Less:		
Estimated Receipts,	\$153,061.77	
Sundry Balances Appropriated,	1,248.78	
Main Sewer Outlet Bal. Appropriated,	1,325.76	
	<hr/>	155,636.31
Amount to be Assessed,		\$380,348.44
Additional Bank Tax,		47.45
Excess Revenue. See Excess and Deficiency (Schedule E.),		12,106.82
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		\$392,502.71
Credits:		
Assessors' Warrants,		\$368,899.54
Excess of Estimated Receipts, (Schedule C.),		23,603.17
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		\$392,502.71

SCHEDULE E.

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY.

Charges :

None

Credits :

Excess Revenue, (Schedule D.), \$12,106.82

Unexpended Balances :

Selectmen's Department,	\$22.62
Accounting Department,	31.83
Treasury Department,	.72
Tax Collector's Department,	86.54
Assessors' Department,	462.12
Town Clerk's Department,	34.62
Engineering Department,	29.09
Street Line Survey,	8.30
Planning Board,	23.20
Election and Registration,	14.05
Town House Maintenance,	.06
Police Department,	9.97
Fire Department,	.03
Sealing Weights and Measures,	46.63
Moth Department,	1.53
Tree Warden's Department,	1.92
Forest Warden's Department,	15.17
Health Department,	2.45
Community Nurse,	200.00
Public Sanitararies,	39.42
Sewer Department,	3.99

Roads and Bridges,	2.87	
Sidewalks,	78.86	
Snow and Ice Removal,	2.60	
Street Sprinkling,	31.11	
Street Lighting,	154.06	
Poor Department,	1,075.07	
Mothers' Aid,	637.49	
Providing Employment for Soldiers,	497.92	
School Department,	3.92	
Park Department,	746.77	
Training Green,	23.76	
Providing Headquarters for Am. Legion,	70.00	
Providing Headquarters for Spanish		
War Veterans,	33.33	
Miscellaneous Account,	78.50	
Water Department Maintenance,	63.28	
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries,	43.64	
Burial Hill Cemetery,	143.35	
Chiltonville, Manomet, Cedarville		
and South Pond Cemeteries,	37.64	
Town Debt and Interest,	5,374.54	
Total Balances,		\$10,132.97
Total Excess, (See Balance Sheet),		\$22,239.79

SCHEDULE F.

BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1923.

Revenue Accounts.

Revenue Cash,			
Uncollected Taxes:			
Herbert W. Bartlett, Collector—			
Tax of 1921,	\$30,408.10	Overlay, Tax of 1921,	\$4,047.30
Tax of 1922,	59,952.71	Overlay, Tax of 1922,	4,258.68
Total Uncollected Taxes,		Total Overlayings,	\$8,305.98
Uncollected Water Rates, etc.,		Reserve from Overlayings,	6,191.95
N. Reeves Jackson, Collector—		Temporary Tax Loan,	10,000.00
Rates of 1920 and Prior, \$1,008.52		Accounts Payable: Unpaid Warrants,	492.50
Labor, etc., 1920 and Prior, 16.00		Unappropriated Revenue: Dog Tax from	1,439.12
Rates of 1921,	1,374.27	County,	44.00
Labor, etc., 1921,	50.48	Income from Bank Stock, Unexpended,	
Rates of 1922,	7,101.31	Unexpended Appropriation Balances:	
Labor, etc., 1922,	119.84	Town Hall Committee, \$1,236.05	
		Police Department, for New	
		Uniforms,	140.25
		Planting Shade Trees,	35.50
		Park Dept., for Cutting Wood,	286.32
		Park Dept., Town Brook Lands,	69.50
		Park Dept., Plans and Estimates	
		for Acquiring Land on Town	
		Brook,	200.00
Total Uncollected Water Rates, etc.,	9,670.42		

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.		Oak Grove and Vine Hills Com-	
State Aid,	\$2,172.00	teries for Surveying and Grad-	
Military Aid, (One-half),	263.50	ing,	417.24
	<hr/>	Smith-Hughes Funds, Federal	
Less: Unadjusted War Poll Tax,	\$2,435.50 48.00	Funds for Vocational Training,	73.26
Total Due from State,	<hr/>	Total Unexpended Balances,	<hr/>
		Excess and Deficiency, Jan. 1,	2,458.12
		1922,	\$89,800.16
Overdrafts:		Less:	
Military Aid (One-half),	\$263.50	Appropriations,	
Soldiers' Relief,	7,306.32	Nov. 25, 1922,	\$8,800.00
	<hr/>	Military Aid Dis-	
Total Overdrafts,		allowed,	62.00
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		Total Deductions,	8,862.00
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		Excess and Deficiency, 1922,	\$80,938.16
			22,239.79
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	<hr/>		103,177.95
	\$132,109.62		<hr/>
			\$132,109.62

Non-Revenue Accounts.

Non-Revenue Cash,			
Loans Authorized,			
	\$3,590.11	Town Hall Appropriation,	\$300,000.00
	360,000.00	Soldiers' Memorial Building Ap- propriation,	60,000.00
		Fire Department, New Pump,	42.87
		Franklin Street Engine House, (Received from sale of building),	85.00
		Main Street Extension, Altera- tions and Sidewalk,	271.73
		Warren Avenue Widening, Damages,	422.39
		White Horse Road,	5.53
		New Bridge at Eel River,	1,761.43
		Eel River, Deepening Bed,	716.53
		Sidewalks: Granolithic,	11.92
		Sidewalks: Manomet,	78.90
		Stephens Field,	56.91
		Addition to Manomet Cemetery,	136.90
		Total Appropriations,	
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	\$363,590.11		\$363,590.11

Municipal Indebtedness.

Funded Debt Balancing Account,	
\$148,233.26	
Town Hall Lot Loan,	\$17,000.00
Engine House Loan,	1,000.00
Plymouth County Hospital Loan,	45,000.00
Sewer Loan,	8,000.00
Street Widening Loans,	19,300.00
New School House Loans,	28,800.00
Water Loans,	29,133.26
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\$148,233.26	\$148,233.26

Trust and Investment Funds.

Cash and Investments,	
\$63,883.82	
Nathaniel Morton Park Fund,	\$2,000.00
Murdock Poor and School Fund,	730.00
Francis LeBaron Poor Fund,	1,350.00
Charles Holmes Poor Fund,	500.00
Julia P. Robinson Poor Fund,	307.16
Marcia E. Jackson Gates Public Library Fund,	2,000.00
Warren Burial Hill Cemetery Fund,	1,328.53
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	50,668.13
Old Colony National Bank Stock Investment Fund,	5,000.00
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\$63,883.82	\$63,883.82

SCHEDULE C.

Summary of Funded Indebtedness, January 1, 1923, and
Amounts Due for Principal and Interest in 1923.

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1922	Added During 1922	Paid During 1922	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1923	Principal Due in 1923	Interest Due in 1923
Town Hall Lot,	\$18,000.00	None	\$1,000.00	\$17,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$742.50
Fire Department,	2,000.00	"	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	40.00
Plymouth County Hospital,	51,889.66	"	6,889.66	45,000.00	5,000.00	2,231.25
Sewer,	9,000.00	"	1,000.00	8,000.00	1,000.00	281.25
Highway,	25,600.00	"	6,300.00	19,300.00	4,300.00	686.00
School,	39,200.00	"	10,400.00	28,800.00	10,400.00	964.00
Water,	32,399.92	"	3,266.66	29,133.26	3,266.66	1,085.50
	<u>\$178,089.58</u>		<u>\$29,856.32</u>	<u>\$148,233.26</u>	<u>\$25,966.66</u>	<u>\$6,030.50</u>

SCHEDULE H.

Itemized Statement of the Funded Indebtedness,
January 1, 1923.

Town Hall Lot Loan.

Four and one half per cent. bonds, dated March 1, 1919, payable \$1,000 annually,	\$17,000.00
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Fire Department Loan.

Four per cent. bonds, dated Sept. 1, 1905, payable \$1,000 annually,	1,000.00
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Plymouth County Hospital Loan.

Five and one fourth per cent. bonds, dated April 1, 1921, payable \$5,000 annually,	45,000.00
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Sewer Loan.

Three and three fourths per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1903, payable \$1,000 annually,	8,000.00
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Highway Loans.

Four per cent. bonds, dated May 15, 1916, payable \$1,150 annually,	4,600.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated May 15, 1916, payable \$1,050 annually,	4,200.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated May 1, 1917, payable \$2,100 annually,	10,500.00

Total Highway,	\$19,300.00
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School Loans.

Four per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1904, payable \$1,400 annually,	\$2,800.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated Oct. 1, 1913, payable \$1,000 annually,	1,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated June 1, 1914, payable \$3,500 annually,	7,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1916, payable \$4,500 annually,	18,000.00	
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Total School,		\$28,800.00

Water Loans.

Three and three fourths per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1903, payable \$666.66 an- nually,	\$7,333.26	
Three and one half per cent. bonds, dated Nov. 15, 1905, payable \$600.00 annually,	1,800.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1907, payable \$1,000 annually,	10,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated Feb. 15, 1908, payable \$1,000 annually,	10,000.00	
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Total Water,		\$29,133.26
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Total Funded Debt,		\$148,233.26

SCHEDULE I.

TRUST FUNDS

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS.

Deposited in Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank.

Russell Tomlinson,	\$248 33
Betsey C. Bagnell,	307 38
Rebecca D. Ryder,	849 56
Lydia W. Chandler,	314 61
Curtis Howard,	721 43
Sarah F. Bagnell,	180 51
A. A. Whiting,	550 39
James Reed,	536 58
William H. Nelson,	714 24
Charles Holmes,	257 61
Louisa S. Jackson,	255 28
Judith S. Jackson,	609 56
John Donley,	112 69
David Drew,	112 11
Mary J. Brown,	55 58
Mary V. Lewis,	347 10
Priscilla L. Hedge,	291 33
Frederick Webber,	103 39
Nancie C. Wood,	1,256 50
Fannie Goodwin Bates,	505 56
Joshua Atwood,	122 63
Ichabod Shaw,	492 62
Edwin Morey,	775 61
Waldron and Dunham,	314 37

Timothy T. Eaton,	183 22
Heman Cobb,	282 87
Thomas Sampson,	250 77
Ephraim B. Holmes,	735 64
Lydia E. Jackson,	271 09
Jacob Jackson,	147 11
Charlotte R. Bearse,	268 22
Washburn Portion, Lot No. 42,	210 79
Helena B. Rich,	140 10
Winslow B. Rickard,	116 83
John Eddy,	120 91
Helen Covington,	247 59
Freeman E. Wells,	202 36
Eliza J. Burt,	165 77
David L. Harlow,	117 51
Benjamin Swift,	117 63
Ellis Benson,	112 54
James Deacon,	146 28
Ellis and Freeman,	118 94
Ansel F. Fish,	115 21
Taylor and Foss,	124 31
Mary A. Minter,	154 89
Adelaide Reed,	137 33
Elizabeth M. Ward,	276 75
Edward W. Bradford,	167 72
Harvey Lot,	127 24
Ephraim Churchill,	26 70
Franklin B. Holmes,	114 60
Linus B. Thomas,	71 59
Ephraim S. Morton,	131 95
Merriam Lot,	264 12
B. O. Strong,	85 99
John C. Cave,	111 08
Winslow B. Standish,	117 59
Calvin S. Damon,	229 85

Finney and Churchill,	133 49
Edward B. Hayden,	153 78
H. N. P. Hubbard,	117 35
Anderson Lots,	170 32
Sylvanus Churchill,	68 75
Nancy L. Pratt,	75 78
Burgess P. Terry,	153 89
William and P. H. Williams,	114 33
Increase Robinson,	464 86
August H. Lucas,	173 77
Edward Morton,	114 84
Benjamin Pierce,	57 75
Alfred P. Arnold,	112 65
Nathaniel H. Morton,	115 27
Charles H. Holmes,	125 37
Daniel Hinchcliffe,	122 03
Samuel Nelson,	126 09
Nathaniel Russell,	276 93
Sumner Leonard,	127 46
Frederick Dittmar,	119 93
Emeline Landy,	119 90
John F. Hoyt,	144 80
Pope Lot,	172 32
Nehemiah Savery,	114 27
Thomas A. Holsgrove,	181 85
John C. Ross,	242 57
Archibald McLean,	57 31
George L. Lyon,	199 82
Phineas Pierce Lot,	255 96
Charles E. Barnes and Paty Tomb,	111 59
Burgess Lot, South Pond,	212 38
Ezra Harlow,	176 00
Mercy J. Howland,	116 39
Isaac M. Jackson,	1182 76
Mary McDonald,	117 77

Mary J. Corey,	120 45
Ellis-Ryder,	127 00
Brewster-Bartlett,	381 27
Barnabas Hedge,	196 50
George M. Collins,	140 98
Alexander McLean,	122 44
Charles E. Dow,	119 14
Shaw and Thomas,	244 98
Atwood and Pratt,	244 81
Prentiss Lot,	239 15
Rufus H. Pope,	101 03
Alanson Thomas,	188 73
Albert Whiting,	113 65
Gamaliel Thomas,	114 85
Albert Bramhall,	117 74
Nancy B. Stevens,	121 55
Johnson-Hart,	115 99
Adeline D. Bartlett,	51 45
Coomer-Weston,	245 00
Edward N. H. Vaughn,	280 77
Thomas W. Finney,	124 53
Charles H. Howland, 2nd.	110 53
Davidson Lots,	215 47
James Ellis,	123 28
Allen and Franklin M. Holmes,	122 09
Marietta Bumpus,	152 59
Frederick O. Bradford,	171 46
Mercy C. Robbins,	362 44
D. Edson Raymond,	119 41
Martin J. Hunting,	238 88
Watson and Rufus Ellis,	119 41
Herbert Robbins,	119 41
William J. Waterson,	59 01
Belinda B. Clements,	116 80
George D. Bartlett,	525 80

Orrin W. and Lydia A. Bennett,	116 80
John F. Hall,	115 51
Charles P. Morse,	114 23
Stephen and Almira B. Pember,	114 23
Erastus B. Torrance,	114 23
Winslow W. Avery,	228 51
Daniel O. Churchill,	112 99
Bradford Barnes,	169 50
Zacheus Bartlett,	111 73
Burgess and Churchill,	51 86
Alexander M. Harrison,	110 54
Hilda Svensson,	110 49
Hiram B. Sears,	221 05
Joseph Taylor,	81 96
Franklin B. Cobb,	109 28
Andrew J. and Sarah E. Bradford,	109 28
John S. Butler,	109 28
Charles H. and Eunice B. Howland,	75 00
Sylvanus W. King,	108 88
Levi P. Morton,	108 08
Whitmore-Churchill-Whitmore,	125 70
John Bachelder,	162 15
Richard McLean Lots,	214 56
Ziba R. Ellis,	106 88
Charles L. Jones,	213 00
Clark Ellis,	212 23
Charles E. and Clarence E. Taylor,	106 09
Joshua L. Edes,	105 72
Raymond-Doten,	209 09
John Peck,	104 55
Hayden-Bradford,	130 67
Abbie B. Ward,	156 23
Charles C. Drew,	260 41
Thomas Hedge,	268 09
Elmer H. Bartlett,	103 77

Seovel-Doten,	258 48
Walter S. Irwin,	128 75
Peter Holmes Lot,	261 73
Frank Sheppard,	102 25
Emily H. Cook,	151 69
William and Violet Crozier,	100 38
Frederick Mahler,	100 38
Isaac B. King,	200 00
Catherina Wilhelmy,	100 00
Emily F. Bartlett,	100 00
William Bradford,	250 00

Total Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank, \$35,273 20

Deposited in Plymouth Savings Bank.

Morton D. Andrews,	\$722 67
William H. Nelson,	724 73
Thomas B. Bartlett,	301 95
Rebecca G. Sampson,	265 47
Katherine E. Sever,	395 04
Mary F. Wood,	123 38
Cordelia Savery,	112 82
William Ross,	332 31
Putnam Kimball,	385 53
John Gooding,	522 92
Schuyler Sampson,	273 20
R. B. Hall,	122 57
Fanny Sylvester,	120 97
E. A. Spooner,	100 00
George Hayward,	415 45
George S. Tolman,	130 06
Elizabeth S. Tinkham,	113 85
Danforth & Thurber,	231 93
William Bartlett,	393 39
Daniel H. Paulding,	290 82
John Morissey,	248 67

Oliver T. Wood,	110 71
Sarah V. Kendrick,	70 13
Sarah A. Waldron,	166 35
Phoebe P. Ellis,	31 74
George E. and Carrie M. Benson,	169 46
Emma F. Avery,	278 99
Isaac M. Jackson,	1000 00
Abby B. Avery and Samuel Bartlett,	281 17
Dora Perritt,	143 04
Mary E. Moning,	107 97
Nathaniel Spooner,	133 72
Georgianna Hedge,	130 44
Elizabeth F. Stoddard,	251 72
Abbie D. Danforth,	114 39
Cornelius Bradford,	118 54
Benjamin Hathaway,	247 59
George W. Haskins,	88 99
Henry Farris Stoddard,	124 75
Obadiah Lyon,	184 86
Madeline Harris,	180 36
Lydia G. Lothrop,	356 52
Annie Martin,	252 19
Sarah W. Sparrow,	118 78
Charles C. Doten,	286 30
Sarah J. Ryder,	226 24
Mary B. Bassett,	113 09
Colburn C. and Charles R. Wood,	339 38
Henry W. Tillson,	113 09
Caroline Grozinger,	55 14
Joseph P. Thurston,	110 34
Gustavus G. Sampson,	103 99
Amelia Knoch,	108 99
Briggs-Goodwin,	107 67
James H. Sutcliffe,	107 67
Evelyn Louise Perry,	107 67

Charles W. Eaton,	347 85
John Smith,	107 67
Amasa Bartlett and Bourne Spooner,	262 65
Capt. Frederick Bartlett,	102 05
Thomas Cooper,	100 00
Lorenzo M. Bennett,	150 00
James R. Shaw,	100 00
Ernest L. Sampson,	200 00
Truman Sampson,	100 00
Levi R. Sampson,	100 00
Arthur S. Byrnes,	100 00
Otis W. Lapham,	100 00
Francis M. Robbins,	100 00
Lemuel L. Swift,	150 00
George W. Bradford,	200 00
Grace D. Mooney,	50 00
Amasa C. Sears,	100 00
Mary Pratt,	250 00

\$15,394 93

Total Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	\$50,668 13
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NATHANIEL MORTON PARK FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$2,000 00
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MURDOCK POOR AND SCHOOL FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$730 00
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FRANCIS LEBARON POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$675 00
Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$675 00

CHARLES HOLMES POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$500 00
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JULIA P. ROBINSON POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$307 16
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WARREN BURIAL HILL CEMETERY FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$1,100 00
Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$228 53

MARCIA E. JACKSON GATES PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$1,000 00
Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$1,000 00

OLD COLONY NATIONAL BANK STOCK INVESTMENT
FUND.

Old Colony National Bank Stock,	\$5,000 .00
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APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS

Selectmen's Department,	\$2,400 00
Accounting Department,	1,700 00
Treasury Department,	1,500 00
Tax Collector's Department,	2,150 00
Assessors' Department,	5,000 00
Law Department,	800 00
Town Clerk's Department,	1,550 00
Engineering Department,	900 00
Street Line Survey,	150 00
Planning Board,	100 00
Election and Registration,	600 00
Maintenance of Town House,	2,000 00
Police Department,	17,000 00
Fire Department,	29,489 00
Sealing Weights and Measures,	1,900 00
Moth Suppression,	5,000 00
Tree Warden's Department,	3,000 00
Forest Warden's Department,	3,500 00
Inland Fisheries,	200 00
Plymouth County Trustees for Aid to Agriculture,	250 00
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance,	6,982 08
Health Department,	17,000 00
Public Sanitaries,	1,900 00
Sewers,	3,000 00
Prince Street Sewer,	4,000 00
Roads and Bridges,	40,000 00
New Stone Crusher,	3,000 00
Resurfacing on Court Street,	5,000 00

Court Street Drain,	5,000 00
Alden Street Drain,	1,500 00
Water Street Bridge,	1,500 00
Sidewalks,	3,500 00
Sidewalks; Granolithic,	3,000 00
Snow and Ice Removal,	5,000 00
Street Sprinkling,	6,000 00
Street Lighting,	14,500 00
Harbor Master,	150 00
Pensions for Town Laborers,	1,500 00
Poor Department,	17,000 00
Mothers' Aid,	4,500 00
Military Aid,	263 50
Soldiers' Relief,	7,306 32
School Department,	214,285 00
School Department for 1922 bills,	2,729 45
Plymouth Public Library, (Including Dog Tax, \$1,439.12),	5,000 00
Manomet Public Library,	500 00
Park Department,	3,300 00
Park Department for Cutting Wood in Park,	300 00
Training Green,	300 00
Stephens Field,	1,000 00
Stephens Field Wall,	100 00
Public Camping Place,	500 00
Providing Headquarters for Plymouth Post No. 40, American Legion,	600 00
Providing Headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans,	150 00
Sexton,	150 00
Memorial Day,	350 00
July Fourth and Forefathers' Day,	1,200 00
Band Concerts,	500 00
Miscellaneous Account,	4,000 00

Reserve Account (From Reserve Overlay),	5,000 00
Water Department Maintenance,	19,000 00
Water Department Construction,	8,000 00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries,	10,000 00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries, (For Alterations and Additions to Bldg.),	1,800 00
Burial Hill Cemetery,	1,700 00
Chiltonville, Manomet, South Pond and Cedarville Cemeteries,	300 00
Town Debt and Interest,	44,000 00
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	\$555,555 35

TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

CHIEF OF POLICE

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

1922

POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to respectfully submit my annual report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1922.

ORGANIZATION.

John Armstrong, Chief.

Patrolmen.

Joseph W. Schilling, Lincoln S. Wixon, John Gault, Jacob E. Peck, George H. Bell.

Constables.

John Armstrong, Joseph W. Schilling, Lincoln S. Wixon, John Gault, Jacob E. Peck, George H. Bell, Herman W. Tower, Edwin A. Dunton.

Special Police Officers.

Henry E. Dries, Lee W. Cole, Peter Winter, Robert Fogarty, Charles J. Grandi, Roscoe A. Jewell, Nicholas Stephan, John Nauman, Fred Longhi, Arthur G. Mayo, Lewis G. Robbins, Russell L. Dickson, Daniel E. Beaton, Henry Murphy, Arthur L. Manter, William Barrett, John Kennedy, William J. Hunter, William Armstrong, Ralph E. Cook, John Barrett, Percy Gunther, Daniel J. Sullivan, Jeremiah Sullivan, John A. Armstrong, Charles Carr, Amedio Cavicchi, Charles Sau-

derson, John Bodell, James M. Downey, Thomas W. Regan, Frank H. Cushman, Alfred Holmes, Edward K. Morse, J. Murray Atwood, James W. Lewis, Charles Webber, Joseph Mentzel, Joseph W. Richardson, Neil McKay, Jesse Brewer, Leon D. Badger, Edward Wall, Henry Dries.

Fire Police.

Charles H. Raymond.

Janitor of Police Station.

John Rae.

Keeper of Police Station.

Joseph W. Schilling.

Special Police for Limited Territory.

Edward F. Stranger, Cemeteries and Burial Hill; Martin W. Holmes, Burial Hill; Benjamin F. Walker, Morton School; William H. Raymond, Mount Pleasant School; Lester Anderson, Pilgrim Monument; Horace Anderson, Fresh Pond; Charles F. H. Harris, South Pond; William S. Fuller, South Pond; John H. Damon, Plymouth Beach; Ralph Matinzi, Boys' Club, Charles Coates, High School; Frank Thomas, R. B. Symington's Estate; George A. Burgess, South Street School; Harry Armstrong, John Goodwin and Alfred Nickerson, for George Mabbett and Sons Company; Malcolm Robichau and Joseph W. Sylvia, Old Colony Theatre; Charles Williamson, Plymouth Theatre; William E. Baker, Martin Anderson, Charles Wedell, Samuel Gray, Alex. Bongiovanni, John F. Doyle, David Dean, W. F. Mitchell, James Shaw, Adelbert L. Christie, Edward White, A. M. Douglas, John McCormick, Antone F. Lorenzo, George K. Harding, Robert Anderson, Axel Freiburg, William Cameron, Edward Sweeney, George Fox, John Grandi, James Bain, Robert Fox, Arthur

W. Stone, Charles L. Robbins, Plymouth Cordage Company; Lewis F. Smith, Training Green; Thomas Baldner, State Armory; Augustus P. Dean, Old Colony Theatre; William H. Fernside, Wharf; Anton Rossler, Manomet; George T. Wood, Old Colony Theatre.

Arrests by Month.

	Males	Females	Total
January,	36	7	43
February,	23	1	24
March,	25	0	25
April,	28	0	28
May,	27	0	27
June,	46	0	46
July,	54	0	54
August,	25	1	26
September,	37	1	38
October,	33	1	34
November,	34	1	35
December,	24	1	25
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	392	13	405
Total number of arrests,			405
Males,			393
Females,			12
Residents,			262
Non-Residents,			143
Amount of fines imposed,			\$2,225.00
Number of fines imposed,			119
Appealed cases,			27
Continued cases,			37
Discharged,			26
Released without arraignment,			51
Placed on file,			56

Probation,	37
Taunton Insane Hospital,	5
House of Correction,	15
Arrested for out of Town Officers,	7
Held for Grand Jury,	16
Walpole Training School,	4
Children's Welfare Society,	4
Total,	405

OFFENCES.

	Male	Female	Total
Arson,	1	0	1
Assault,	13	0	13
Bastardy,	2	0	2
Breaking and entering,	24	0	24
Breaking and entering, Attempt,	2	0	2
Breaking glass upon the Highway,	1	0	1
Carrying Revolver,	1	1	2
Concealed Weapons,	3	0	3
Cruelty to Animals,	7	0	7
Disturbing the Peace,	23	0	23
Drunkenness,	102	0	102
Eaves Dropping,	1	0	1
False Certificate,	1	0	1
False Fire Alarm,	1	0	1
Forgery,	1	0	1
Fraud,	2	1	3
Fugitive from Justice,	3	0	3
Gambling, present where implements were found, ,	19	0	19
Gambling Nuisance,	1	0	1
Habitual School Offenders,	4	0	4
Idle and Disorderly,	0	1	1

Insane,	4	1	5
Larceny,	12	0	12
Lewdness,	0	2	2
Lewd and Lascivious Cohabitation,	1	2	3
Malicious Mischief,	7	0	7
Neglect of Children,	0	1	1
Neglected Children,	5	4	9
Non-support,	5	0	5
Peddling, without a License,	1	0	1
Runaway Child,	2	0	2
Setting fire without a permit,	4	0	4
Stubborn Child,	2	0	2
Tramp,	1	0	1
Trespassing,	3	0	3
Violating Auto Law,	107	2	109
Violating Fish and Game Law,	1	0	1
Violating Liquor Law,	11	0	11
Violating Probation,	4	0	4
Violating Town By-Law,	6	0	6
Vagrancy,	2	0	2
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	390	15	405

Miscellaneous Work of The Department.

Children reported lost and found,	3
Strayed teams returned to owner,	1
Buildings found open,	96
Complaints received and investigated,	1,172
Night's lodging given to,	10

Although offences which were brought to court show a greater number than last year, this does not really mean that crime is on the increase in Plymouth, as a great number of these were violations of the automobile laws.

One great problem which confronts our Department with the small force which we have at present is the great amount

of automobile travel which passes through this town during the summer months. At times it is difficult to get an officer with experience in traffic duty to take care of the automobiles and pedestrians at busy corners when needed.

Compared with the Police Forces maintained in other towns of the country according to population ours is the smallest numerically, we have less than one policeman for each 2,300 of the population. The average throughout the country is one for each 1,000, and in most cities it is one for every 600 people.

The Policeman on duty is more heavily burdened with duties and responsibilities than the average citizen has any idea of. Among other things he must familiarize himself with buildings on his route and their occupants; he must watch for violations of the law which are numerous; he must preserve order, protect juveniles, watch for criminals or the criminally inclined, and anticipate and prevent crime. Patrolmen are also called upon to employ sound judgment in accident cases involving injury to life and property in some of which the town might be liable.

Practically every incident furnishes something new in the way of police duty or in human nature. The patrolman is often called upon to be both judge and jury and to exercise diplomacy. In this brief review it would be impossible to state adequately the variety of problems they meet and solve every day.

The need of a Police Signal System seems to be growing stronger every day, and therefor, I respectfully recommend that you give the matter of providing this department with such a system your earnest consideration.

I respectfully recommend an appropriation of \$17,000 for the year 1923.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ARMSTRONG,

Chief of Police.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Aggregate Valuation, \$22,005,795.00

Exempted:

Chap. 59 Clause 18, Gen. Laws, \$59,850 00

Chap. 59 Clause 23, Gen. Laws, 35,800 00

95,650 00

Available for Revenue, \$21,910,145 00

Personal, \$5,376,570 00

Real, \$16,533,575 00

Gain on Real, \$305,070 00

Loss on Personal, \$21,554 00

Amount to be Raised by Taxation.

State, \$52,955 61

County, 34,156 08

Town, 380,348 44

Gurnet Bridge, 778 93

Rate, \$20.80 on \$1,000.00. \$468,239.06

Division of Taxes.

Sept. Personal, \$111,478 02

Sept. Real, 343,897 32

Sept. Non-Resident Bank Tax, 5,519 90

Sept. Moth, 665 60

Dec. 20 Personal. Additional, 354 64

Dec. 20 Real. Additional, 1 04

Dec. 20 Re-assessed, 925 08

Dec. 20 3,884 Polls. Town at \$2.00, \$7,768 00

State at \$3.00, \$11,652 00

19,420 00

\$482,261 60

Table of Aggregates.

Residents assessed on property,	2,947
Non-residents assessed on property,	1,050
Persons assessed on property,	3,997
Poll Tax Only,	2,145
Polls Assessed,	3,884
Polls, Exempt, Clause 18, Chap. 59, Gen. Laws,	53
Polls, Exempt, Clause 23, Chap. 59, Gen. Laws,	24
Horses,	284
Cows,	482
Neat Cattle,	14
Sheep,	22
Swine,	13
Fowl,	4,950
Dwelling Houses,	3,405
Acres of Land,	48,413

Warrants to Collector.

Sept. 15	State Tax,	\$45,360 00
Sept. 15	State Highway Tax,	6,658 87
Sept. 15	State Signs and Mile Stones, Tax,	936 74
Sept. 15	County Tax,	34,156 08
Sept. 15	Town Tax,	361,942 37
Sept. 15	Non-Resident Bank Tax,	5,519 90
Sept. 15	Moth Tax,	665 60
Sept. 15	Overlay,	6,321 28
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		\$461,560 84
Dec. 20	Additional,	355 68
Dec. 20	Re-assessed,	925 08
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Dec. 20	Real and Personal,	\$462,841 60
July 1	3,868 Polls, at \$5.00,	19,340 00
Dec.	16 Polls, at \$5.00,	80 00
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		\$482,261 60

Exempted under Sec. 5, Chap. 59, Gen. Laws.

Charitable, Historical, etc.,	\$627,852 00
Houses of Religious Worship,	\$341,750 00
Town of Plymouth,	\$1,084,175 00
United States of America,	\$119,150 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts,	\$128,075 00
County of Plymouth,	\$605,125 00

Abatement Account.

Levy of 1920,	
Jan. 1, 1922. Balance Undrawn,	\$1,683 41
Dec. 31, 1922. Abatements,	292 41

Carried to Reserve Account, \$1,391 00

Levy of 1921.	
Jan. 1, 1922. Balance Undrawn,	\$3,628 70
Dec. 20, 1922. Added. Re-assessed,	50 22
Dec. 20, 1922. Added. Polls from State,	555 00

\$4,233 92

Dec. 31, 1922. Abatements,	186 62
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\$4,047 30

Levy of 1922.	
Sept. 15, 1922. Overlay,	\$6,321 28
Dec. 20, 1922. Additional,	355 68
Dec. 20, 1922. Re-assessed,	925 08
Dec. 20, 1922. 16 Polls, at \$2.00,	32 00

\$7,634 04

Dec. 31, 1922. Abatements. Property,	
\$1,788.36. Polls, \$1,587.00	3,375 36

\$4,258 68

Reserve Account.

Jan. 1, 1922.	Balance Undrawn,	\$5,600 95
Dec. 31, 1922.	From Levy of 1920,	1,391 00
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		\$6,991 95
Dec. 31, 1922.	Transferred to General Fund,	800 00
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		\$6,191 95

We recommend an appropriation for the year 1923, of \$3,000.00 for Salaries of the Assessors, and \$2,000.00 for Assistant Assessors, Clerk and Expenses.

JAMES C. BATES,
NATHANIEL G. LANMAN,
GEORGE HARLOW,
Assessors.

REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1922.

During the past year we sustained a severe loss in the death of our Chairman, Charles A. Strong, which occurred July 6, 1922. A member of this board since 1900, and its Chairman since 1905, he served the Town both faithfully and well. The community has lost a valuable citizen and we, his fellow members, a personal friend for whom we entertained the highest regard as a man, and as a business associate. His helpful suggestions and wise counsel in matters pertaining to this department are seriously missed.

As provided by law a joint meeting of the Selectmen and the remaining Overseers was held, Mr. George L. Gooding being elected as Overseer to serve until the next election in March, 1923. At a later meeting of the Overseers, Mr. William T. Eldridge was chosen chairman.

Outside aid has been given to 52 families and 12 individuals, comprising 100 males and 137 females, a total of 237 persons, a somewhat larger number than the preceding year. The condition of unemployment that obtained at the end of 1921 was carried well into 1922, but at no time was it apparently so bad with us as the reports from other places within the State would indicate. To those that applied for aid and were able to work, we found something for them in the shape of

work at the Almshouse on one and two days a week alternately, thus enabling them to earn an average of \$6.00 per week, about one dollar more than the usual order for food allowed an applicant for aid. Twelve men were thus employed during the early part of the year gradually diminishing in number as work was found outside, so that by the middle of April we had but three remaining, the latter being carried about a month longer. The cost of this work is shown in the Accountant's figures appended herewith under the heading "Almshouse," "Other Salaries and Wages."

Everything at the Almshouse apparently runs the same circle from year to year. We maintain the plant at the lowest possible expense for repairs, doing only those things that are really necessary for the upkeep. The inmates are well housed, well fed, and well cared for generally. The number of inmates on

Jan. 1, 1922, was	11	
Admitted during year,	2	
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Discharged during year,		1
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Remaining Jan. 1, 1923,		12

Eight of these are men with ages of 56, 63, 66, 74, two of 75, 76 and 81, with four women aged 70, 75, 85 and 87, respectively.

We have expended \$20.00 of the accumulated interest on the Julia P. Robinson fund for the benefit of the inmates of the almshouse, as the will specifies.

Total amount expended during the year,	\$16,031.02	
Less reimbursements,	1,969.57	
Net cost to the Town,		\$14,061.45
We recommend an appropriation of \$17,000.00 for the year 1923.		

MOTHER'S AID, CHAPTER 763.

We dropped one family during the year and have added three families so that we now have a total of 6 families with 22 children living here, with one mother and her children residing elsewhere, but having her settlement here.

Amount expended during the year,	\$2,862.51	
Less amount received from Commonwealth,	1,603.75	
Net cost to the Town,		\$1,258.76
We recommend an appropriation of \$4,500.00 for the year 1923.		

POOR DEPARTMENT

Appropriation,	\$17,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	106.09	
Total,		\$17,106.09
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Administration:		
Salary of Chairman,	\$66.67	
Salary of Secretary,	350.00	
All Other,	38.01	
Total General Administration,	454.68	
Alms-house:		
Salary of Superintendent,	\$624.00	
Other Salaries and Wages,	2,029.09	

Groceries and Provisions,	1,643.75	
Dry Goods, Clothing,	272.71	
Building and Fences,	382.69	
Fuel and Light,	1,127.93	
Equipment,	129.35	
Hay and Grain,	534.79	
All Other,	375.89	
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Total Almshouse,		\$7,120.20
Outside Relief by Town :		
Cash,	\$2,183.50	
Rent,	816.90	
Groceries and Provisions,	3,700.96	
Coal and Wood,	476.45	
Dry Goods; Clothing,	.95	
Medical Attendance,	296.17	
Burials,	15.00	
State Institutions,		
Other Instutions,	349.15	
All Other,	254.00	
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Total Outside Relief by Town,		8,093.08
Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns—		
Cities,	\$300.72	
Towns,	20.00	
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Total Relief Given by Other,		
Cities and Towns,		320.72
Other Expenses,		42.34
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Total Payments,		\$16,031.02
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1,075.07

INCOME FROM JULIA P. ROBINSON FUND.

Expended by Overseers of the Poor for Inmates of Almshouse, \$20.00

MOTHERS' AID.

Appropriation,		\$3,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Cash,	\$2,552.34	
Rent,	249.00	
Fuel,	40.25	
All Other,	20.92	
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Total Payments,		2,862.51
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$637.49

POOR DEPARTMENT.

<i>Reimbursements—</i>		
Almshouse:		
Sale of Produce,	\$178.75	
Board,	235.00	
Miscellaneous,	9.52	
	<hr/>	\$423.27
Outside:		
From Individuals, including \$75.00 sale		
of land in Carver,	\$100.50	
Cities and Towns,	191.45	
State,	1,254.35	
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Mothers' Aid:		
From State,		1,603.75
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Total,		\$3,573.32

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
HERBERT W. BARTLETT,
GEORGE L. GOODING.

Overseers of Poor.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Plymouth:

Gentlemen—During the past year the various parks, playgrounds, bathing beaches, etc., under our supervision, have been conducted and cared for according to our best judgment.

Morton Park is receiving our careful attention in regard to cutting out all of the old oak wood which serves to give the white pine a chance to grow, and also helps to eliminate to a very great extent the gypsy moth. There were very few of these pests in the park this year compared with other years.

A new float has been installed here at the boys' bathing place the past year, which we hope will be appreciated enough by the boys and other people who use it to make them feel an interest in taking proper care of it. We intend to place another float at the ladies' bathing place the coming year.

The bath houses were very much appreciated as usual, but the attendance was not quite as large as last year on account of the stormy weather that prevailed during the months of July and August.

We think that a small playground with a few swings, slides, etc., to amuse the children at the north part of the town somewhere near Castle Hill is getting to be very essential and we recommend that this should be done in the near future.

We are also of the opinion that the Town requires a municipal camping place. Why not have it? There are many

beautiful locations already owned by the Town perfectly available for such purposes that could be readily put to such use with very little cost. We especially recommend it.

The large float that was installed at Beach Park last season by the Community Service seemed to be very anxious to drift out to sea quite frequently and usually headed for the Gurnet Light there being some special attraction for it in that direction. However, since it has been transferred to the Park Department, with the promise of repairs which it surely is in need of, and a chance to try its luck again next year, it lies tranquil and at peace on the back side of the stone breakwater.

The tract of land purchased of Mary S. Baker, et al., adjoining the westerly side of the Stephens Field Playground has been all filled in to a level of the rest of the field and will be ready to loam the coming Spring.

The sum of \$500 which was appropriated at our last annual Town Meeting for a sea wall was not quite sufficient and we ask for an appropriation of \$100 more to complete it.

The Park Commissioners have come to the conclusion that it is very necessary that a bath house be erected at the Stephen Field Playground in the near future, but do not advise doing so this year, wait perhaps another year when there will be a more suitable location made available for such a purpose.

It seems to us that it is about time the Town awoke to the absolute fact that they have got to have entrance to the field from Sandwich street. At present the only one that we own and control is from Fremont street. The other in use at present from Sandwich Street is rented by us from year to year and is very liable to be closed by the owners at any time, and if this is done it will necessitate the carting of all rubbish in by way of Fremont street and across the playground, which of course would not only be a perfect

nuisance but a great detriment to the field already completed.

We are pleased to state that this playground has been thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by many thousands of men, women and children the past season and we trust that every day and in every way it may grow better and better.

We ask for the ensuing year an appropriation of \$3,300 for parks and bathing beaches, \$1,000 for the further improvement and maintenance of the Stephens Field Playground, \$300 for cutting wood in Morton Park, \$300 for Training Green, and \$100 to complete the sea wall at the Stephens Field Playground. We also ask for an appropriation of \$500 for a municipal camping place.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJ. F. RAYMOND,

P. O. CONLEY,

JOHN RUSSELL,

Park Commissioners.

RECEIPTS.

Sale of Wood,	\$327 75	
Bath House Receipts,	777 35	
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Total,		\$1,105 10

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$3,300 00	
Income from Morton Fund,	101 25	
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Total,		\$3,401 25
<i>Payments—</i>		
General:		
Salaries and Wages,	\$1,625 70	
Teams,	193 00	
All Other,	155 28	
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Total General,	\$1,973 98	
Bathing Beaches:		
Labor,	\$535 00	
Supplies,	77 90	
Repairs,	67 60	
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Total Bathing Beaches,	680 50	
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Total Payments,		2,654 48
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$746 77

PARK DEPARTMENT CUTTING AND PILING WOOD
MORTON PARK.

Balance from 1921,	\$305 20	
Appropriation,	300 00	
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Total,		\$605 20

Payments—

Labor,	318 88
Balance Remaining,	<u>\$286 32</u>

TRAINING GREEN.

Appropriation,	\$300 00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salaries and Wages,	\$267 74
Team,	2 00
Loam,	5 00
All Other,	1 50
Total Payments,	<u>276 24</u>
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	<u>\$23 76</u>

PARK DEPARTMENT, MAINTENANCE OF LAND ON
TOWN BROOK.

Balance from 1921,	\$84 50
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid for Rubbish Cans,	15 00
Balance Remaining,	<u>\$69 50</u>

PARK DEPARTMENT, FOR PREPARING PLANS AND
ESTIMATES FOR ACQUIRING LAND ON BOTH
SIDES OF TOWN BROOK FOR PARK PURPOSES.

Appropriation Nov. 25, 1922,	\$200 00
No Payments.	

STEPHENS FIELD.

Balance from 1921,	\$.15	
Appropriation March 25,	800 00	
Appropriation June 1,	500 00	
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Total,		\$1,300 15
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$931 67	
Teams,	158 39	
Right of Way,	25 00	
Pipe,	25 20	
All Other,	102 98	
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Total Payments,		1,243 24
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Balance Remaining,		\$56 91

STEPHENS FIELD, FOR PURCHASE OF STEPHENS
LAND.

Appropriation,	\$800 00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid to Mary S. Baker, et al., for title to land,	800 00

STEPHENS FIELD RETAINING WALL.

Appropriation,	\$500 00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid for Stone, Carting and Labor,	500 00

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1922.

OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES.

Appropriation, March 25th,	\$9,000 00	
Transferred from Special Appropriation for Laying Water Pipes in Oak Grove and Vine Hills,	36 10	
Transferred from Appropriation for Revolutionary Markers,	59 65	
Income from Funds, for care and general use,	607 33	
	<hr/>	\$9,703 08

Expenditures.

Superintendent's Salary,	\$1,365 00	
Labor, Material, etc.,	7,594 36	
Telephone,	20 41	
Tools and Repairs,	13 75	
Stationery, Printing and Clerical Services,	448 31	
Extermination of Gypsy Moths,	7 50	
Foundations,	210 11	
	<hr/>	\$9,659 44
Unexpended,		\$43 64

Receipts.

Sale of Lots,	\$2,016 45	
Care of Lots,	1,332 33	
Miscellaneous,	3,018 81	
	<hr/>	\$6,367 59

We recommend that ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) be appropriated for the year 1923.

We, also, recommend a Special Appropriation of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) for Alterations and Additions to Building in Vine Hills Cemetery.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR SURVEY, GRADING
AND LAYING OUT LOTS IN VINE
HILLS CEMETERY.

Appropriation,	\$1,000 00	
Expenditures,	582 76	
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Unexpended,		\$417 24

BURIAL HILL.

Appropriation, March 25th,	\$1,700 00
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Expenditures.

General Care,	\$1,257 32	
Burials,	10 18	
Care and Making of Lots,	106 04	
Superintendent's Salary,	150 00	
Tools and Repairs,	12 00	
Foundations,	21 11	
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		\$1,556 65
Unexpended,		\$143 35

Receipts.

None.

We recommend that seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700.00) be appropriated for the year 1923.

At the regular Town Meeting, held March 25, 1922, it was voted: That the balance of the Special Appropriation for Laying Water Pipes in Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries, amount of which was thirty-six dollars and ten cents (\$36.10), and the balance of Appropriation for Revolutionary Markers on Burial Hill, amount of which was fifty-nine dollars and sixty-five cents (\$59.65), be transferred to the Oak Grove and Vine Hills account.

CHILTONVILLE, MANOMET, CEDARVILLE AND
SOUTH POND CEMETERIES.

Appropriation, March 25th,	\$300 00	
Income from Funds, for Care of Lots,	115 84	
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Expenditures.

Chiltonville, General Repairs and Care of Lots,	\$296 99	
Manomet, General Repairs and Care of Lots,	32 88	
Cedarville, General Repairs,	48 33	
South Pond,	<hr/>	\$378 20
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Unexpended,		\$37 64

Receipts.

Chiltonville, Sale of Lots,	\$43 52	
Manomet, Sale of Lots,	16 32	
	<hr/>	\$59 84

We recommend that three hundred dollars (\$300.00) be appropriated for the year 1923.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITION TO
MANOMET CEMETERY.

The balance of this appropriation remains the same as at the close of the year 1921, as given below:

Unexpended, \$136 90

Twenty-three funds have been established during the past year, amounting to three thousand, twenty-five dollars (\$3,025.00).

As the Town Accountant, in his report, gives a complete list of funds for perpetual care of lots, we deem it unnecessary to repeat same here.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE M. SAUNDERS,
ARTHUR E. BLACKMER,
RICHARD T. ELDRIDGE,
Board of Cemetery Commissioners.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen;—In compliance with the General Laws of Mass., Chapter 98, Section 34, I herewith submit report of 1922 as Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Property of the State in the Department.

Nickel weights, one each, 50-lb., 20-lb., 10-lb., 5-lb., 4-lb., 2-lb., 1-lb., 8-oz., 4-oz., 1-oz., $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz., $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz., 1-16-oz.

Dry measures, $\frac{1}{2}$ -bu., 1 pk., $\frac{1}{2}$ -pk., one 1-qt. iron.

Linear measure, one steel tape, one 1-yd. measure, brass.

Property Belonging to the Town.

Twenty 50-lb. weights, iron; one 25-lb., one 15-lb., one 10-lb., one 5-lb., two 2-lb., one 1-lb., one 8-oz., one 4-oz., one 2-oz., one 1-oz., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz., nickel weights.

Brass weights, one 4-lb., one 2-lb., one 1-lb., one 8-oz., one 4-oz., one 2-oz., one 1-oz., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz.

Linear measure, iron, one.

Dry measure, wood, one 1-bu., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -bu., one 1-pk., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -pk., one 2-qt., one 1 qt.

Liquid measure, metal, one 5-gal., one 4-gal., one 3-gal., one 2-gal., one 1-gal., one 2-qt., one 1-qt., one 1-pt., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -pt., cylindrical. Conical one $\frac{1}{2}$ -gal., one 1-qt., one 1-pt., one 1-gill. One glass graduate.

One Precision Balance with Cabinet, 50-lb. capacity.

One portable balance with case.

One hanger weight, nickel.

One Sealer's case with tools.

One hand press seal.

One sealing clamp.

Wire, paper and aluminum seals, marking acid, record books, steel alphabet, and dies.

One safe, one desk, one bench vise with jaws, one ten-foot bench, wood.

Stationary, ink, pencils, filing spindles, pen holders and one foot rule.

Scales, Etc., Tested.

	Sealed	Adjusted	Not Sealed	Con
Platform over 5,000 lbs.	16		5	1
Platform under 5,000	161		41	2
Beam over 100	3			
Beam under 100	7			
Counter over 100	1			
Counter under 100	109		5	1
Spring over 100	24			
Spring under 100	126			1
Computing,	70			5
Jewelers,	4			
Personal weighing,	2			
Prescription,	5			
Weights, advoirdupois,	1,164		3	
Apothecary, weights,	52			
Metric weights,	24			
Troy weights,	80			
Measuring devices, gasoline,	59			
Measuring devices, oil,	24		6	1
Measuring devices, molasses,	4			
Capacity measures, dry,	14			
Capacity measures, liquid,	228			1
Graduates,				
Milk jars, glass,			100	
Ice cream cans,	11			
Linear measure, yard sticks,	49			

	Scaled	Adjusted	Not Scaled	Con
Linear measures, steel tapes,				
C. M. D. Leather meas. mach.				
Cranberry meas., barrels,	5,798			
Cranberry meas. 1½-barrels,	19,563			
Cranberry meas. crates,	140			
Sealing fees, *			\$210	62
Adjusting charges,			16	10

Inspections.

	Tested	Correct	Under	Over
Coal in transit,	3		2	1
Coal in bags,	20	20		
Charcoal in bags,	26	26		
Coke in bags,	20	20		
Reweighing loaf bread,	34	12		22
Reweighed packages, in store,	235	223	2	10
Cordwood, load,	4	1	1	2
Kindling, bulk,	6	4		2

Appropriation

Dr.

To Appropriation,	\$2,200 00
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Salary,	\$812 50
New Standard and Cabinet,	800 00
Labor,	141 20
Stationary and Postage,	26 77
Transportation,	266 90
Printing,	13 50
Miscellaneous,	92 50
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	\$2,153 37

Recommendations.

I recommend the purchase of the following equipment as necessary for the discharge of the duties of the Sealer.

One set testing weights, nickel, capacity 50-lb. to 1-16-oz.

One set glass graduates, apothecary tests.

One set, ice scales and hanger, for testing on road.

Respectively submitted,

DANIEL J. SULLIVAN,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I submit the following report for the year 1922: The Spring of 1922 will be memorable for the number of disastrous fires that occurred. The ones of April 29 and May 11 were the most serious in the writer's experience. Another large fire started May 31 near the Bourne line that burned over several hundred acres. All three of the above fires were undoubtedly the work of an incendiary. There were thirty-seven other fires during the year of lesser extent attributed to the following causes: One, incendiary; three, rubbish fires that through negligence were allowed to get beyond control; thirty-three, careless smokers, and automobile parties. The large number of fires last year were not confined to Plymouth. Similar conditions existed all over the New England States, and in New York and New Jersey. New Jersey in particular had the most disastrous fires in the history of the State. The dry weather last Spring and the continuous high winds are thought to be the principal factors in causing so many fires.

The fire apparatus suffered more than in any previous year, and will need to be thoroughly overhauled and in part replenished. The Ford automobile that has been in use four seasons is no longer dependable, and I recommend the purchase of a new one to take its place. I also recommend the employment of a patrol on the most traveled roads during the season when the fire danger is greatest. Another matter to which I wish to call attention is the danger resulting from rubbish fires. This danger was plainly illustrated last Spring when a careless person allowed a rubbish fire to get beyond his control and caused a large property loss and en-

dangered a whole neighborhood. It is to be hoped that more care will be used in the future so that this danger may be avoided. There were four arrests the past year for violations of the law relating to rubbish fires, one receiving the extreme penalty of thirty days in jail. The sum of \$483.68 has been paid to this department by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. for extinguishing railroad fires; another case is pending settlement. The total expenditures have been \$8,384.83.

I recommend an appropriation of \$3,500.00 for the present year.

IRA C. WARD, Forest Fire Warden.

MOTH SUPPRESSION DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I submit the following report for the year 1922:

Appropriation,	\$5,400 00
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Payments—

Salaries and Wages:

Superintendent,	\$1,227 00
Labor,	2,493 25

Total,	\$3,720 25
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Other Expenses:

Auto and Sprayer Ex-	
pense,	\$685 84
Insecticides,	622 76
Hardware and Tools,	48 40
Car Fares, Teams, etc.,	286 25
Telephone,	34 97

Total,	\$1,678 22
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Total Payments,	\$5,398 47
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$1 53
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During the past year there has been a marked decrease in the number of moths, and the damage done by them is noticeably less than in former years; the leaves staying green and hanging on much later in the season. The work of this department has been carried on very much the same as previously, and the results have been good. The Brown-tail Moth is

giving very little trouble. The Calosoma Beetle that was liberated in Plymouth in 1911, has multiplied rapidly, and this, together with the Wilt Disease, has helped a great deal in the work. The weather conditions have been very favorable this year, and this department has used the most modern methods of fighting the pests. I find the conditions very much better than they have been at any time during the eighteen years that I have had charge of the work. I wish to thank the many property owners for their aid in the work during the past year.

I respectfully recommend an appropriation of \$5,000.00 for this department for the ensuing year.

A. A. RAYMOND, Moth Supt.

TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen :

Gentlemen—I submit the following report for the year 1922 :

Appropriation,	\$2,250 00
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Payments—

Salaries and Wages :

Superintendent,	\$390 00
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Labor,	959 03
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Total,	\$1,349 03
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Other Expenses :

Insecticides,	\$306 97
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Teams,	99 00
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Hose,	255 85
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Sprayer repairs,	188 48
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Miscellaneous,	48 75
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Total,	\$899 05
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Total Payments,	\$2,248 08
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$1 92
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During the past year a large amount of trimming has been done ; also a number of old trees removed in different sections of the Town. Every tree was sprayed and cared for in the best possible way as far as the appropriation would allow. This department is not asking for a special appropriation for planting trees this year, but for a little more money to care for the trees that have been planted during the last three years, and to nurse up some of the older trees. We

have several trees in the nursery now that can be planted from time to time as we have a place for them. Practically every street in Town is well supplied at the present time.

I respectfully recommend an appropriation of \$3,000.00 for this Department for the ensuing year.

A. A. RAYMOND,
Tree Warden. .

TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENT.
SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PLANTING SHADE
TREES.

Appropriation,		\$150 00
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Payments—

Labor,	\$64 50	
Trees,	50 00	
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Balance remaining,	\$35 50
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There were forty trees, consisting of maple, oak, linden, elm and beach, planted in different sections of the Town. More would have been planted, but the hot, dry weather that set in just at planting time, made it too hazardous.

A. A. RAYMOND,
Tree Warden.

REPORT OF HARBOR MASTER.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I submit the following report: There has been very little trouble with visiting yachts and fishermen during the boating season. The basin south of the dredged channel was used by the small boats, the fishermen using the State Pier. The range lights have been well taken care of, no complaints having been reported.

If any dredging is done I think the basin south of the channel should be looked after and the ridges cleared off to make better anchorage.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED HOLMES, Harbor Master.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF SHORES AND FLATS.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I submit the following report. The commercial clam industry for the past year has not been good as the condition of the flats is poor and the demand for clams no better than in 1921. The market has been supplied almost wholly from the Cape.

Our flats have been covered with mussels and grass which the ice this winter may perhaps help to clear away.

The clam diggers have mostly given up the business, not being able to make living wages. Small clams have died from over crowding.

Should say about 4,100 bushels had been taken out during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED HOLMES, Supervisor.

AGAWAM AND HALFWAY POND FISHERIES.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—We submit the following report of the Plymouth Committee of Agawam and Halfway Pond herring stream.

The stream was sold March 3rd, 1922, for \$850.00, \$650.00 more than in 1921. There was a very good run of fish into Halfway Pond.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED HOLMES,

FRANK HARLOW,

WARREN S. GALE.

REPORT OF INLAND FISHERIES COMMITTEE.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen—Bought 600 adult White Perch which were put in South Pond. The State sent us 50 adult Black Bass which we put in Boot Pond.

We had a channel dug from Ship Pond to the sea so the White Perch can come in to the pond.

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. CLARK, Chairman.

BOARD OF HEALTH

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1922

RECEIPTS.

Appropriated, March, 1922,	\$14,000 00	
Appropriated, March, 1922, (1921 bills,)	858 91	
Appropriated, November, 1922,	2,400 00	
	<hr/>	\$17,258 91

PAYMENTS.

General and Administrative expenses,	\$754 95	
Quarantine and Contagious diseases,	5,411 12	
Tuberculosis,	5,033 91	
Vital Statistics,	253 05	
Inspection (animals, meats and milk),	1,689 36	
Public Dumps (labor and expenses),	1,966 74	
Tuberculosis Dispensary expenses,	1,088 15	
Other expenses,	1,058 68	
	<hr/>	\$17,256 46
Unexpended balance,		\$2 45

GENERAL REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Plymouth, Mass., January 1, 1923.

The past year has not been marked by any sensational changes either in the activities of the Board or in its method of carrying on its work.

The only change of moment in its organization was the

election of Dr. Walter D. Shurtleff to the Chairmanship of the Board, followed by the appointment of Dr. Elmer A. Barrows to be physician in charge of the Tuberculosis Dispensary. The Plumbing Inspectors, Mr. Michael D. Welsh and Arthur Sampson were continued in office, as was Mr. Edwin B. Young as Milk Inspector, and Dr. Frederick H. Bradley as Cattle Inspector, while Mr. Edward K. Morse continued to act as Fumigating Officer.

Believing that pure water, clean milk and good sanitation are essential to good health, the Board has caused frequent examinations to be made, of springs and wells used for public or private drinking purposes. Thus, water from Brewster Spring has been analyzed several times, as have the wells at Storrow Camp at Long Pond. Here (meaning at Storrow Camp), several wells or springs were found to be unfit for drinking purposes, and a number of changes were made by the authorities in charge, so that a supply of pure water was assured.

The Laws of the Commonwealth require that all milk sold shall be free from adulteration, and also be of a certain fixed standard. These laws are enforced by State Inspectors, so that our problem has been almost entirely one of securing an adequate supply of clean milk. Not only have local dairies been inspected and licensed, but out of Town dairies supplying milk to Plymouth, have been under constant supervision. Thus, dairies in the Towns of Carver, Plympton, Marshfield, Middleboro and elsewhere, have been inspected and licensed before milk could be sold from them within the Town limits.

Complaint having been made by the residents of Peck's Avenue, of the large amount of stagnant water which had been allowed to stand in the road bed at the Westerly end of the Avenue, for days at a time, investigation was made, and we were informed that the Highway Department would

not spend their money to remedy the conditions, as Peck's Avenue was not a Public Way. Therefore, the Board authorized the expenditure of their funds to be the needed work of correcting conditions, and the actual work was carried out by the Highway Department.

In the matter of contagious diseases, the tabulated table speaks for itself. Rigid quarantine measures finally checked an epidemic of Scarlet Fever, that was general throughout the State. Cases of other diseases did not approach the epidemic stage.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Chicken Pox,	1	6	11	2	2					5	6	9	41
Diphtheria,	2		5	1	1		4	1		1		1	16
Dog Bite,						1	1						2
German Measles,				1		2							3
Mumps,				1									1
Lobar pneumonia,	1	1	9	2				1		2		1	17
Influenza,		1	1										2
Opthalmia Ne-													
otatorum,				1									1
Septic Sore Throat,				1									1
Scarlet Fever,	8	23	33	9	6	5	3		2	4		1	94
Tuberculosis, Pul-													
monary,	2	1	4	1		2	1	1		3	1		16
Tuberculosis, Other													
Forms,		1						1	1			1	4
Trachoma,											1		1
Typhoid Fever,						1	1	4		3	2		11
Sleeping Sickness,			1										1
Whooping Cough,				1								1	2
Measles,				3		1	1						5
	13	33	64	23	9	12	11	8	3	18	10	14	218

An unusually large number of expensive Tuberculosis cases have been a drain on our finances. At the present time these cases in South Hanson alone, cost the Board nearly Four Hundred Dollars a month, or between Four Thousand or Five Thousand Dollars a year; although it is true that in some cases a subsidy will eventually be paid the Town, by the Commonwealth, and in one or two cases payment will be made to the Board by relatives or friends of the unfortunates, to reimburse us for our expenses.

The Jordan Hospital has again been used for the majority of contagious cases aided by the Town. It will be of interest to note that the amount paid to the Hospital this year, including the annual payment of Two Thousand Dollars, amounts to about Forty-five Hundred Dollars.

The Fremont Street Playground, so-called, is being built largely at the expense of the Board of Health, a man being kept there constantly, to burn, bury or otherwise dispose of rubbish. While the expense is heavy, the work is well done, and a very valuable piece of ground is being built, while at the same time the question of disposal of rubbish, garbage and other waste material is well solved for the greater portion of the Town.

In the North End of the Town, the Public Dump on the Cordage Land off Standish Avenue, is still maintained, and on the whole has been satisfactory, but in order to get the best results, a care-taker should be employed there constantly, and this, we have not felt that financial conditions warranted.

At White Horse Beach the disposal of rubbish and garbage during the summer, has been unsatisfactory, and a petition has recently been received, requesting the Board to maintain a system of Garbage Collection, and to establish there, a Public Dump under competent supervision. Some-

thing along this line must be done during the coming summer, and our budget calls for an appropriation to carry on the work.

Attention is called to the reports of our various appointees as shown elsewhere in the Town Report.

We recommend for the ensuing year, an appropriation of \$17,000 to carry on the work for 1923.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER D. SHURTLEFF, M. D.

Chairman

HARRY R. TALBOT, Secy.,

HERBERT S. MAXWELL.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

FOR THE YEAR 1922.

During the past year the following animals were slaughtered and inspected in Plymouth:

	Cattle	Calves	Pigs	Sheep
January,	16	10	23	
February,	13	9	16	
March,	11	10	11	
April,	12	12	12	
May,	10	12	5	
June,	15	19	4	
July,	7	8	2	
August,	11	5	2	
September,	13	4	21	
October,	12		23	
November,	15	5	43	2
	14	5	57	
Totals,	149	99	219	2

During the past year two cattle have been condemned as unfit for food, having tuberculosis.

The carcasses of three pigs have also been condemned, and three heads of pigs have been condemned.

On April 21st, 1922, one calf was found in a store not stamped, the same was seized.

One calf was also condemned as unfit for food.

FREDERICK H. BRADLEY, Inspector.

REPORT OF INSPECTION OF MILK

Plymouth, Mass., Jan. 29, 1923.

To the Honorable Board of Health of Plymouth:—

As milk inspector for the Town, I herewith submit my report for the past year.

The records, up to the present time, show the following facts: Licenses taken out for olemargarine were six in number, as in the preceeding year. Seventy-eight dealer's licenses to sell milk were granted as against sixty-four in the preceeding year. The distribution of the latter was as follows.

Class A, for dealers such as hotels, restaurants, tea rooms, lunch rooms, drug stores, etc., where milk is dispensed mainly by the glass, and where the patrons drink it on the premises—twenty-seven in number.

Class B, for dealers such as stores and markets, where milk is bought by the pint, quart, etc., and carried to the home—nineteen in number.

Class C, for persons primarily dealing in milk, or producing it for wholesale or retail trade—thirty-two in number.

In addition to the above, there are many persons who have permits to produce milk but who have no licenses as dealers. It should be remembered that the law allows a producer of milk to retail an amount up to twenty quarts without a milk dealer's license.

The inspector wishes to call the attention of a few people to certain things which they should bear in mind. All persons who have cows should get a permit from the Board of Health. As mentioned above, producers who wish to sell milk to consumers should get a milk dealer's license, unless the amount is below twenty quarts. Milk dealers should

avoid using containers which have the names of other men on them. If consumers will return the right bottles to their milk men they will help the latter not to break the law. Sufficient care should be used in cleaning containers; cold water is not enough. As all licenses expire on the thirty-first of May regardless of when they were taken out, all persons needing the same should make application at that time. Places such as mentioned in "Class A" above, where raw milk is served, should remember that Victualers' licenses do not cover their needs, in the case of said product.

There is as yet no supply of certified or of pasteurized milk in town. Here is still an open field for some ambitious person to establish a profitable pasteurized trade, should he have a good business head and a little capital.

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. YOUNG, Milk Inspector.

PLYMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of
Plymouth:

As an index of the increasing activity and general usefulness of the library in the community it should be noted that the total circulation during the year was 52,540, the largest in the history of the library, and an increase of 4,178 over 1921. It is gratifying also to find that the increase in non-fiction alone was 2,109, more than half being in the children's department. This does not include the school deposit, which is largely non-fiction. 442 foreign books were circulated and 662 prints, the latter from the pictures given by Miss Mary Graton Bartlett, the Arts and Crafts Collection, and the post cards.

The Morton school reported a circulation of 374 books from the school deposit sent there last year. This is a large circulation, as they have only twenty-five or thirty books at one time, seldom exchanging them for new ones. Deposits of books have also been sent to a school at Chiltonville, to the Jordan Hospital, and, during the summer, to the National Girl Scout Training School, at Long Pond.

Books in Greek, Yiddish, Russian and Italian have been borrowed from the Division of Public Libraries, State House, Boston. Upon the request of persons interested in a special subject, books of non-fiction, not found in a library of this size, have been borrowed from the Boston Public Library. A few volumes have been lent to libraries in Carver, Duxbury, Kingston, Marshfield and Plympton. This is done through the Inter-library loan.

In response to a call from the American Merchant Marine Library Association, a number of books and periodicals, contributed by the public, have been sent to Boston for the American merchant ships. Periodicals have also been sent to the Duxbury Pier lighthouse and the Manomet Coast Guard. Books not needed in this library have been sent to the Plymouth County Hospital, at South Hanson.

There are 17,651 volumes in the library, 895 volumes having been added in 1922, 623 adult and 272 juvenile; of these, 270 were gifts.

The number of card holders is approximately 4,781; but as many people leave town without giving up their cards, it is difficult to give the exact number. 372 adult and 219 juvenile cardholders have been enrolled during the year, making a total of 591; of these, 140 were temporary.

The adult attendance for reading and reference alone was 13,533, while the children's attendance was 16,383.

In connection with this statement which indicates that a very large number of children use the library, in point of fact a number so large that the building is hopelessly inadequate to accommodate them, it should be noted that the Town Improvement Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has a project which, although it has not at present assumed definite shape, includes a Memorial Library for the children which presumably would be made a part of the present library building and operated in connection with it. Such a memorial would certainly be a fitting and dignified one, serving to relieve the crowding and discomfort of the present accommodations, every year becoming more aggravated, and materially furthering the efforts of our institution to open the minds of the children to those high ideals which shall later bear fruit in enlightened service.

Should the proposal of this committee prevail, the Russell

Library building might be directly connected with a community building including a hall which could be used for public lectures as a recognized feature of the library work, a feature which though extremely desirable, has heretofore been wanting.

The generous bequest of \$10,000 to the library by Miss Mary Pratt who was always a liberal supporter of Plymouth institutions places us in a better position to equip and maintain a children's library should the building be forthcoming and this use of the fund we feel would meet with the unqualified approval of the donor.

The Board of Free Public Library Commissioners has issued a graded list of reading for children in grades three to eight in the public schools. Any child who reads five books receives a certificate, bearing the state seal, and signed by the Commissioner of Education and the Librarian of the Boston Public Library. This opportunity was received with enthusiasm by both teachers and pupils, over 150 certificates having been issued. It is hoped that more children will take advantage of this selection of good reading during the coming year.

During Children's Book Week, November 12-18, books especially recommended for children's reading were displayed in the Library and at a meeting of the Plymouth Woman's Club. Mr. Lyscom A. Bruce, Director of Community Service, very kindly assisted by giving talks in the schools upon the subject of books and reading also the first story hour of the winter was held. Miss Greene told Czechoslovak fairy tales and showed a map of the country explaining about its history.

This children's story hour held under the direction of the assistant librarian, Miss Greene, has been greatly enjoyed by the children whose appreciation is indicated by the attendance. Those who have assisted at the story hour

which is held twice a month on Saturday mornings are Dr. H. H. Burns, Rev. Ernest Pugh, Miss Florence Leland and Miss Dorothy Bruce.

On July 6th, a tea and sale was to have been held out-of-doors on the estate of the late William Hedge whose devotion to the library is well known. Unfortunately the day was cold and wet so that it was necessary to make use of Kendall Hall which was kindly offered for the purpose. A feature of the occasion was an interesting exhibit showing features of the library work and as the number of visitors was very gratifying, something was accomplished in the way of making the library and its needs better known. The money realized was used for the purchase of books.

Gifts of books, pamphlets and periodicals have been received from the following donors: Miss Elizabeth Thurber, Miss Alice Stedman, Miss Lucie R. Hedge, Miss Caroline B. Warren, Mrs. Agnes A. Gibbs, Miss Anne P. Appleton, Miss Sophia R. Westwood, Miss Harriet Warren, Mrs. George R. Briggs, Mrs. Theodore P. Adams, Miss Elizabeth Perkins, Miss Helen D. Irwin, Miss Emma Grozinger, Mrs. Arthur Lord, Mrs. Henry R. Hedge, Mrs. Herbert H. Chandler, Mrs. Frank Sheppard, Mrs. William S. Townsend, Miss Rose S. Townsend, Mrs. Howland Davis, Mrs. Harold D. Harvey, Mr. William C. Smith, Percy Haigh, Dr. L. B. Reed, Mr. Samuel W. Travers, Harold E. Mansfield, Mr. John Courtney, Dr. J. Holbrook Shaw, Rev. Alfred R. Hussey, Dr. Harold M. Bruce and Plymouth Book Club.

Books have also been received from the Division of Public Libraries, the Secretary of the Commonwealth, the Smithsonian Institution, the Dennison Manufacturing Company and others.

A number of post cards and photographs of foreign views were presented to the Library by Mr. William N. Drew, from

the estate of Mrs. Susan D. Gaylord. These, with many cards and photographs of scenes in North America, received from Miss Emma S. Hall, form a valuable collection, which will be used in the schools, when studying special countries.

Pictures relating to the Pilgrims in England have been presented by Miss Jennie S. Hubbard, and books and a large number of pictures from the Arts and Crafts Committee of the Plymouth Woman's Club, make an interesting addition to their collection.

We mourn the loss of one of the noble Lindens which for years have lent distinction and beauty to our library. This tree in the judgment of the Tree Warden was so weakened by internal decay as to be a menace to the public, and was taken down leaving a portion of the trunk standing to a height of about 15 feet from the ground. The center of the trunk is entirely rotted out leaving only a cylinder of sound wood about four or five inches thick inside the bark. The roots, however, are still vigorous, and we are assured that the now bare trunk will send out numerous shoots which will afford abundant and protecting foliage, screening the unsightly stump.

Realizing that other trees might be in an unsatisfactory if not dangerous condition, and wishing to prevent if possible the necessity for further sacrifices of this sort the Directors asked that a careful examination of the remaining trees be made by the Tree Warden and an expert from the office of the State Forester. This was done and certain recommendations made which will be carried out when weather conditions permit.

There are few people today who would question the usefulness of the public library in the community, but it is gratifying nevertheless to have our opinions supported by evidence from reliable sources.

Mr. Ralph G. Wells, Secretary of the National Employ-

ment Managers Association and a national authority on human relations in industry, stated positively in a recent lecture here that he believes in the public library as it gives the workers a broader outlook on life, helps to keep them contented and removes class consciousness which, he says, is at the bottom of all labor troubles.

Mr. Wells' opportunities for studying labor problems have been exceptional as he was employed as an expert by the Duponts' during the war when they established a number of great industrial centers in one of which alone 44,000 people were assembled requiring the building and equipping of a complete industrial city with dwellings, stores, theatres, churches and public utilities.

As Plymouth is an industrial town the citizens should feel that every dollar invested in the public library will be returned to them in better social conditions and industrial prosperity.

Respectfully submitted,

For the directors,

J. HOLBROOK SHAW, M. D., President

LIST OF JURORS.

Prepared by the Selectmen of Plymouth, Mass., for 1923.

Alden, Fred, 6 Oak street, salesman.

Anderson, Albert S., Manomet, merchant.

Anderson, Lester, 71 Allerton street, caretaker.

Anderson, Robert, 12 So. Spooner street, Cordage employee.

Austin, James C., 213 Summer street, gardener.

Axford, William C., 14 Mayflower street, weaver.

Barnes, Alfred L., 202 Court street, clerk.

Bartlett, Edwin H., Manomet, steamfitter.

Beever, John A., 268 Court street, overseer.

Bennett, Sylvanus S., 7 Highland place, Carpenter.

Bent, Walter E., 14 Hall street, carpenter.

Berg, William J., 42 Court street, clothier.

Birnstein, Emil C., 221 Summer street, weaver.

Brown, Richard B., 7 Winslow street, overseer.

Brown, Walter H., 7 Holmes terrace, foreman.

Buchanan, Vincent, 15 Winslow street, painter.

Bumpus, Albert A., 22 South street, painter.

Bunker, Guy C., 4 Sever street, foreman.

Burns, Alfred S., 109 Court street, clerk.

Butland, Elmer E., 4 Massasoit street, clerk.

Cappannari, David A., 7 Bradford street, clerk.

Carpenter, Louis M., 10 Sever street, weaver.

Carr, Walter E., 92 Spooner street, assistant foreman.

Carver, Frank W., 20 Brewster street, salesman.

Caswell, Thomas, Billington street, weaver.

Cook, Ralph E., 28 Centennial street, percher.

Costa, Gedo A., 41 Court street, fruit dealer.

Courtney, John J. D., 31 North street, musician.

Cushman, Frank H., 31 North street, real estate.
Cuskley, George A., 21 Samoset street, superintendent.
Cutter, Harris M., 275 Court street, clerk.
Dean, Augustus T., 83 Sandwich street, teamster.
Doten, Everett C., 246 Court street, carpenter.
Douglas, George W., Cedarville, cranberry grower.
Ferguson, Freeman J., 128 Summer street, blacksmith.
Field, Bernard, 52 Samoset street, manager.
Fletcher, F. Roscoe, 18 Brewster street, clerk.
Fogarty, Thomas S., 23 Brewster street, clerk.
Fraser, Jesse A., 28 Samoset street, clerk.
Freeman, Charles M., 129 Court street, clerk.
Gardner, Clyfton H., off Oak street, clerk.
Gardner, Samuel L., 154 1-2 Court street, weaver.
Garvais, George, 35 Oak street, weaver.
Gilman, William A., 24 South Spooner street, clerk.
Goddard, Walter W., 29 Samoset street, rope maker.
Godfrey, Charles L., Jr., 234 Court street, salesman.
Goldthwaite, George A., 3 Whiting street, wood worker.
Goodwin, John J., 43 Davis street, watchman.
Gordon, Samuel, Summer street, farmer.
Gould, Fred E., 34 Stafford street, cranberry grower.
Gould, Jesse L., 427B Court street, foreman.
Graham, William J., 1 Murray street, weaver.
Grandi, Charles J., 145 Court street, assistant overseer.
Grant, Loomis R., 11 Park avenue, freight clerk.
Gray, George L., 45 Davis street, steward.
Gray, Norman W., 362 Court street, Cordage employee.
Gunther, Herbert E., 23 Standish avenue, assistant foreman.
Haigh, George F., 152 Court street, designer.
Hall, Fred A., 5 Holmes terrace, clerk.
Harlow, Frank, 156 Sandwich street, insurance agent.
Hatton, Charles H., 15 Oak street, painter.
Hedge, I. Lothrop, 358 Court street, wood dealer.
Holman, Edward F., Cliff street, clerk.

Holmes, Charles B., Allen court, painter.
Holmes, Curtis, 5 North Green street, Cordage employee.
Holmes, Isaac T., 189 Court street, poultry raiser.
Holmes, Martin W., 135 Summer street, cranberry grower.
Holmes, Robert M., 89 Sandwich street, grocer.
Holmes, Roland T., 11 Whiting street, clerk.
Holmes, William B., South Pond, laborer.
Hughes, Allen E., 36 Union street, laborer.
Jenks, Fred A., 275 Court street, sales dept., P. C. Co.
Johnson, Horatio W., 4 Fremont street, laborer.
Kellen, Roger S., 9 Chilton street, clerk.
Kelliher, John F., Newfields street, clerk.
Kingan, Ernest A. J., 143 Sandwich street, clerk.
Knight, Henry H., Obery street, laborer.
Kyle, Morton, 8 Lothrop street, clerk.
Lanman, Frank H., 24 Allerton street, janitor.
Lavache, Thomas V., 59 Samoset street, weaver.
Leidloff, William F. G., 20 Whiting street, clerk.
Lowry, Abraham, 17 Whiting street, painter.
Manter, Walter L., 380 Court street, clerk.
Marshall, Charles P., 219 Court street, welfare man.
Morse, Arthur L., 21 Mayflower street, clothier.
Nazro, William E. C., Warren avenue, architect.
Nichols, Albert O., Manomet, farmer.
Nickerson, Samuel E., 5 Highland place, laborer.
Nightingale, George W., 10 Mt. Pleasant street, clerk.
Norton, Thomas E., 16 Vernon street, weaver.
O'Brien, William, Jr., 13 Allerton street, lineman.
Otten, Charles, Jr., 2 Alden street, superintendent Gas Co.
Paine, Alfred L., 13 Whiting street, weigher.
Paulding, Edwin S., 12 Sandwich street, caretaker.
Pearson, Charles S., 11 Chilton street, machinist.
Pierce, Charles H., River street, fisherman.
Pierce, William S., 1 South Spooner street, boss spinner.
Pioppi, Joseph, 29 Cherry street, carpenter.

Quartz, Frank, Jr., 156 Court street, grocer.
Ray, Preston, Bay View avenue, barber.
Raymond, George A., Jr., 9 Washington street, hostler.
Read, George R., 129 Summer street, tack maker.
Royal, Henry W., 255 Court street, bookkeeper.
Sampson, Ernest J., 43 Summer street, clerk.
Sampson, Fred A., 71 Summer street, grocer.
Sampson, Harry G., 4 Bradford street, weigher.
Sampson, Ossian M., 35 High street, tack maker.
Schroeder, Walter U., 3 Willard place, real estate.
Sherman, Louis N., 27 Samoset street, clerk.
Sidebotham, James, 28 Davis street, dresser.
Simmons, Harry L., 36 Mayflower street, carpenter.
Simmons, Walter T., 1 Murray street, shipper.
Sink, Sidney L., 6 Lewis street, telephone inspector.
Smith, Leslie B., 155 1-2 Sandwich street, chauffeur.
Sproul, William F., 176 Sandwich street, agent.
Stevens, Charles T., 8 Stoddard street, florist.
Strong, Warren P., 27 Allerton street, insurance agent.
Swanton, James S., 54 Allerton street, carpenter.
Swift, Robert C., Clifford road, carpenter.
Talbot, Richmond, 35 Mayflower street, cranberry grower.
Tillson, Ernest F., 341 Court street, bank clerk.
Watkins, Alvin M., 49 Allerton street, dresser tender.
Webber, Charles, Jr., 28 Centennial street, percher.
Whiting, Henry O., 9 Pleasant street, provision dealer.
Williams, George H., 2nd., 6 North street, electrician.
Woolford, George R., 24 Bay View avenue, jeweler.

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
FRANK EASTWOOD,
D. H. CRAIG,
J. A. ROBBINS,
H. W. BARNES, JR.,

Selectmen of Plymouth.

Approved February 5, 1923.

TOWN WARRANT

To either of the Constables of the Town of Plymouth, Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of Plymouth qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Armory in said Plymouth, on Saturday, the third day of March, 1923, at fifteen minutes before six o'clock in the forenoon, and in said Armory in said Plymouth, on Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of March, 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:—

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers. The following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz:— Five Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one member of a Board of Health for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for two years, two Water Commissioners for three years, two members of a School Committee for three years, one member of a School Committee for two years, one member of a School Committee for one year, one Park Commissioner for three years, three Constables, three members of a Committee on Agawam and Halfway Pond Fisheries, Tree Warden, and one Cemetery Commissioner for three years; and to vote by ballot "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question:—

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?"

The polls for the election of officers and the votes on the

foregoing question will be open at the Armory at fifteen minutes before six o'clock in the forenoon on said Saturday, the third day of March, 1923, and may be closed at three o'clock in the afternoon. Both of said days will constitute the annual meeting, and this call is issued in accordance with the vote of the Town passed June 5, 1897, as amended March 2, 1903, and April 2, 1904.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the Town, and to act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen or a majority thereof, to borrow during the financial year beginning January 1, 1924, in anticipation of the revenue of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, giving the notes of the Town therefor, payable within one year from the dates thereof.

All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. To make the necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes, and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient.

Article 6. To take such action as the Town may see fit in aid of the Plymouth Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article 8. To see what appropriation the Town will make for the care and improvement of the various parks and of the Training Green.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding one thousand (1,000) dollars for the maintenance and improvement of the Stephens Field Playground.

Article 10. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum

of one hundred (100) dollars for construction of sea wall at the Stephens Field Playground.

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding three hundred and fifty (350) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars and choose a Town Director, as provided in Section 45, Chapter 128, of the General Acts 1921, and act thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote that the adjourned annual meetings of the Town of Plymouth be held on the evening of Monday following the fourth Saturday of March. (By petition.)

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the votes passed under Article Seven at a Town Meeting held on October 11, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars therefor.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand (60,000) dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars for a Municipal Auditorium.

Article 17. To hear the report of the Committee on the Veterans' Memorial Building to take such action thereon as the Town may deem expedient and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend the

vote passed at the Annual Town Meeting March 25, 1922, under Article Fourteen of the warrant for said meeting, by striking out the figures, "\$125,000.00" wherever the same appear in said vote and substituting in place thereof the words, "Two Hundred Thousand Dollars" so that said vote shall read as follows:

"That the Town appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars to erect and equip with suitable seats a municipal auditorium on the Lothrop lot now owned by the Town on Court Street, said building to be constructed substantially in accordance with plans submitted and now before this meeting; that the construction of said building shall be under the direction of the Selectmen and a committee of five to be appointed by the Selectmen. The Selectmen and said committee shall procure bids for the erection of such a building on the plans submitted and specifications to be furnished, by advertising therefor in the usual manner, and are hereby authorized to sign a contract in the name of the Town for the erection of said building at a price not to exceed the amount of the appropriation therefor and that any contract so made shall cover the cost of the building, 1,500 seats and architects and engineering fees."

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town to carry into effect any action the Town may take under the preceeding article, Article Eighteen of this warrant.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-two of the Acts of 1921, entitled "An act authorizing the Town of Plymouth to erect a wharf and public landing."

Article 21. To hear the report of the Relocation Committee appointed according to the vote under Article 6 of the Special Town Meeting held on January 29, 1921.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to erect a wharf

or pier on the property now owned by the Town and property to be acquired, on Water Street opposite South Park Avenue, extending northerly to a point opposite Lothrop Street on land of Lewis Goodall, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town to carry into effect such action as the Town may take under Article Twenty-two of this warrant.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the taking of such land lying between the easterly line of Water Street and low water mark as may be necessary to carry into effect any action the Town may take under Articles Twenty-two and Twenty-three of this warrant.

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept and allow the taking of certain land by the Park Commissioners, in fee by eminent domain, for park purposes as reported to the Town; said land being a parcel of land on the northerly side of Town Brook and lying easterly from Main Street Extension, so-called, and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 26. To see if the Town will accept and allow a layout of part of Newfields Street, from Summer Street to a stone bound southerly of Jackson's Lane, as laid out by the Selectmen and reported to the Town, said layout to supersede all previous laying out of that part of the way.

Article 27. To see if the Town will make an appropriation not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars for resurfacing on Court Street.

Article 28. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars for construction of a surface water drain on Court Street from Hamilton Street northerly.

Article 29. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars for construction of a surface water drain for Alden Street.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding four thousand (4,000) dollars for construction of a sewer on Prince Street, easterly from Court Street, and on Cordage Street northerly from Prince Street.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars for rebuilding the bridge over Town Brook on Water Street.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars for macadamizing of Sandwich Road from the present end of macadam, near the entrance of the Jordan Hospital, to Bramhall's Corner in Chiltonville. (By petition.)

Article 33. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for laying a bituminous macadam or other suitable hard surface on the Beaver Dam Road in Manomet, from the State Highway to the bridge over Beaver Dam Brook. (By petition.)

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of eighteen hundred (1800) dollars for alterations and additions to the building in Vine Hills Cemetery.

Article 35. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to investigate and report at some future meeting of the Town as to the desirability of the Town contracting with the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, for the care and maintenance, by the Town, of the land acquired and the structures erected by said Commission along the waterfront and Water Street in Plymouth, constituting the Water Front Improvements, so-called.

Article 36. To see if the Town will contract with the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, for the future care and maintenance, by the Town, of the land acquired and the struc-

tures erected thereon, between School Street and Burial Hill and South Russell Street.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for Post 40, American Legion, a sum not exceeding six hundred (600) dollars, as provided in Section 9, Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

Article 38. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for the United Spanish War Veterans a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty (150) dollars, as provided in Chapter 227, Acts of 1921.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to establish a public camping place as recommended by the Park Commissioners and make an appropriation for that purpose not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars for public band concerts, said money to be disbursed by the Board of Selectmen.

Article 41. To see if the Town will request the School Committee to acquire the land and buildings thereon, or any part of the premises, as bounded by North Russell Street, land of the Inhabitants of the County of Plymouth, South Russell Street and land of the Inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, for the purpose of a recreation centre. (By petition.)

Article 42. To see if the Town will discontinue as a town way, as much of South Russell Street as lies westerly of a line, which is in line with the stone wall easterly of the Cornish School Building, so-called, extending southerly across said South Russell Street.

Article 43. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen, in the event the Town votes to discontinue a portion of South Russell Street, under the proposed article, to erect a stone wall in said street in line with the stone wall which

is easterly of the Cornish School Building, so-called, and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to widen Court Street from Allerton Street northerly to the Plymouth and Middleboro Railroad Bridge and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to widen South Street from Sandwich Street to Pleasant Street, to authorize the taking of land necessary, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Article 46. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen as to what action it considers desirable relating to signs overhanging the sidewalks.

Article 47. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money not exceeding twelve hundred (1200) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of July Fourth, and of an Old Home Day in connection with Forefathers Day, said money to be expended by the Board of Selectmen according to the laws relating to such appropriations.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to establish a voting precinct in Manomet.

Article 49. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars from the Reserve from Overlayings of Taxes to the Reserve Account in the hands of the Advisory and Finance Committee.

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant in the manner prescribed by a vote of the Town, by posting notices thereof in three public places in the Town, seven days at least before the meeting, one of which postings shall be in Chiltonville and one in Manomet Ponds, and also by publishing the warrant in the newspapers published in

Plymouth; and make return thereof with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Given under our hands this twelfth day of February, 1923.

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
FRANK EASTWOOD,
D. H. CRAIG,
HENRY W. BARNES, JR.,
JOSIAH A. ROBBINS,

Selectmen of Plymouth.

Plymouth ss.

February 14, 1923.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the Inhabitants of Plymouth qualified to vote in elections and town affairs are hereby notified to meet at the time and place and for the purposes therein mentioned.

JOHN ARMSTRONG,

Constable of Plymouth.

SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Water Commissioners,

Superintendent

AND

Collector of Water Rates

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

1922

WATER COMMISSIONERS

ROBERT C. HARLOW—Term expires March, 1924.

JOHN L. MORTON—Term expires March, 1924.

WILLIAM R. MORTON—Term expires March, 1923.

EUGENE H. DORR—Term expires March, 1923.

JOHN H. DAMON—Term expires March, 1925.

Superintendent—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Water Register—N. Reeves Jackson.

Engineer at Pumping Station—John Bodell.

Assistant Engineer at Pumping Station—Albert E. Caswell;

All applications for water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners.

Superintendent's Office, Town Square, near Town House, telephones, office 532-R, shop 532-W.

Meeting of the Commissioners to examine bills and claims against the department, the first Wednesday evening of each month.

Rates payable at the Town Treasurer's office semi-annually in advance, May 1 and Nov. 1.

Bills against the department must be rendered on or before the first Wednesday of each month, or they will lie over until the following month.

Approved bills paid by the Town Treasurer at the Town Office.

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners herewith submit their sixty-eighth annual report:

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation, maintenance,	\$19,800 00
Appropriation, construction,	6,000 00
Balance from 1921,	1,292 11
Credits,	110 82
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	\$27,202 93

EXPENDITURES.

Maintenance,	\$12,158 03
Pumping,	6,118 38
Extension of mains,	6,412 12
Extension of services,	202 54
Meters and setting,	677 45
Stock on hand at shop,	1,571 13
Unexpended balance,	63 28
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	\$27,202 93

MAINTENANCE.

Salaries,	\$3,864 00
Labor,	4,368 66
Ford Truck and Buick Runabout,	786 49
Auto repairs and supplies,	472 52
Leaks in main pipes,	319 28
Leaks in service pipes,	133 24
Fuel, light and power,	80 44
Telephone,	149 57
Office supplies,	594 81
Tools bought and repaired,	83 38
Care of Reservoir and grounds,	172 74
Freight, express and trucking,	56 02
Miscellaneous,	1,076 88
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	\$12,158 03

PUMPING STATION.

Salaries,	\$2,700 00
Fuel and light,	2,680 61
Heating and lighting Engineer's house,	270 50
Material and supplies,	317 93
Parts and repairs to machinery,	62 94
Repairs to building and grounds,	71 58
Freight, express and trucking,	14 82
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	\$6,118 38

BONDS.

Bond paid on issue, July 1, 1903,	\$666 66
Bond paid on issue, November 15, 1905,	600 00
Bond paid on issue, July 1, 1907,	1,000 00
Bond paid on issue, February 15, 1908,	1,000 00
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	\$3,266 66

INTEREST.

Interest paid on issue, July 1, 1903,	\$287 50
Interest paid on issue, November 15, 1905,	84 00
Interest paid on issue, July 1, 1907,	420 00
Interest paid on issue, February 15, 1908,	420 00
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Total interest paid,	\$1,211 50
Bonds,	\$3,266 66
Interest,	1,211 50
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	\$4,478 16

The largest piece of construction work carried out by the department during the past year was the laying of about 1,600 feet of 10-inch pipe on Court Street, from Shirley Square to Vernon Street, to replace an 8-inch pipe that was laid in 1855.

The cost of this work was \$4,709.50.

The 12-inch wrought iron pipe that was laid across Standish Avenue bridge in 1900 required renewal and was replaced this year with a 12-inch Universal Cast Iron pipe, made by The Central Foundry Company.

This pipe is manufactured in lengths of six feet, with ma-

chined taper joints on each end and connected by two bolts at each joint, which makes it possible to lay the pipe very rapidly.

The total cost of removing the old pipe and laying the new pipe was \$458.42 and the length was 150 feet.

On a new real estate development west of Standish Avenue, there was laid 755 feet of 6-inch pipe at a cost of \$1,007.00, and on South Cherry Street Extension, 248 feet of 4-inch pipe at a cost of \$210.20.

Following the policy which the Commissioners adopted some years since, of making annually some replacements of old pipe and constructing proposed new work, from current funds instead of issuing bonds, we recommend the following construction for the ensuing year.

Replacements: 1,000 feet of 2-inch pipe on Manter's Lane with 6-inch, 600 feet of 2-inch pipe on Winslow Street with 6-inch, 300 feet of 2-inch pipe on South Green Street with 6-inch, 750 feet of 4-inch pipe on Howland Street with 8-inch, 600 feet of 14-inch pipe from pumping station to high service reservoir with 16-inch, and about 1,000 feet of 6-inch pipe for a proposed new development for Malaguti, west of Standish Avenue.

We, accordingly, recommend our usual maintenance appropriation of \$19,000.00 and an appropriation of \$8,000.00 for construction.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT C. HARLOW, Chairman,

WILLIAM R. MORTON,

JOHN H. DAMON,

Water Commissioners.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

Published by Request of the New England Water Works
Association, Plymouth (Mass.) Water Works.

Population (estimated), 13,150.

Date of Construction, 1855.

By whom owned, Town.

Source of supply, Great and Little South Ponds.

Mode of supply, Gravity for low service and pumping for
high service.

PUMPING.

1. Builders of pumping machinery: Barr & Worthington.
2. Description of fuel used:
 - (a) Kind. Bituminous and Screenings.
 - (b) Brand of coal:
 - (c) Average price of coal per gross ton delivered:
Bituminous, \$11.60; Screenings, \$3.00.
 - (d) Wood: None.
3. Coal consumed for the year: Bituminous, 510,910 lbs.;
Screenings, 119,950 lbs.
4. Amount of other fuel used: None.
5. Total equivalent coal for the year, 630,860 lbs.
6. Total pumpage for year: 310,035,394 gallons with 3%
allowance for slip.
7. Average static head, 65 feet.
8. Average dynamic head, 72 feet.
9. Number gallons pumped per pound of coal: Worthing-
ton, 506; Barr, 338.
10. Duty of pumps: Worthington, 20,300,000; Barr, 30,-
400,000.

COST OF PUMPING FIGURED ON PUMPING STATION
EXPENSES, VIZ.: \$6,118.38.

11. Per million gallons against dynamic head into direct pipe, \$19.74.
 12. Per million gallons raised one foot high, (dynamic), \$0.274.
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COST OF PUMPING FIGURED ON TOTAL MAINTENANCE, VIZ.: \$18,276.41.

13. Per million gallons against dynamic head into direct pipe, \$58.95.
 14. Per million gallons raised one foot high (dynamic), \$0.818.
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STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER.

1. Total population to date, 13,150. (Estimated.)
2. Estimated population on pipe line, 12,000.
3. Estimated population supplied, 12,000.
4. Total consumption for the year, 467,393,394 gallons.
5. Passed through meters, 148,926,000 gallons.
6. Percentage of consumption metered, 32.0%.
7. Average daily consumption, 1,280,000 gallons.
8. Gallons per day to each inhabitant, 98.
9. Gallons per day to each consumer, 107.
10. Gallons per day to each tap, 465.

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM.

1. Kind of pipe used: Cement lined and wrought iron, principally cement lined.
 2. Sizes: From 2-inch to 30-inch.
 3. Extended: 2,837 feet.
 4. Discontinued: 1,578 feet.
 5. Total now in use. 57 miles, 1,130 feet.
 6. Cost to repair per mile, \$4.75.
 7. Number of leaks per mile, 0.31.
 8. Small distribution pipes less than 4-inch: 9 miles, 3,495 feet.
 9. Hydrants added, 1. Discontinued, none.
 10. Hydrants now in use: 236, public; 67, private.
 11. Stop gates added, 15. Discontinued, 6.
 12. Number now in use, 681.
 13. Small stop gates less than 4-inch, 120.
 14. Number of blow-offs, 42.
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SERVICES.

15. Kind of pipes: Lead and cement lined.
16. Sizes: From one-half to 4 inches.
17. Extended, 196 feet. Discontinued, none.
18. Total now in use, seven miles, 5,132 feet.
19. Service taps added, 19. Discontinued, none.
20. Number now in use, 2,759.
21. Average length of service, 10 feet.
22. Average cost of service, \$10.50.
23. Number meters added, 36.
24. Number now in use, 763.
25. Percentage of services metered, 27.6%.
26. Number of motors and elevators added: None.
27. Number now in use, one motor.

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FINANCIAL

MAINTENANCE.

Water rates, domestic,	\$35,021.69	Management and repairs,	\$18,276.41
Water rates, manufacturing,	2,549.14	Interest on bonds,	1,211.50
Water rates, miscellaneous,	805.25	Total,	\$19,487.91
Total water receipts,	\$38,376.08	Profit for year,	18,888.17
		Total,	\$38,376.08
		Paid bonds and notes, Carried to Construction Acct.,	\$3,266.66
		Total,	15,021.51
			\$18,888.17

CONSTRUCTION.

Profits of maintenance,	\$15,621.51	Extension of mains,	\$6,412.12
		Extension of services,	202.54
		Meters and setting,	677.45
		Stock on hand at shop,	1,571.13
		Unexpended balance,	63.28
		Total,	\$8,926.52
		Bonded debt at 3½ per cent.,	\$1,800.00
		" " 3¾ "	7,333.26
		" " 4 "	20,000.00
		Total,	\$29,133.26
		Paid yearly on principal,	\$3,266.66

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Gentlemen:—I hereby submit the annual report of the Collector of Water Rates for the year 1922:

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Arrears,	\$8,973 00	
Water Rates,	39,567 31	
Labor and Material,	240 10	
	<hr/>	\$48,780 41

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Total Collections,	\$38,376 08	
Abatements,	733 91	
Uncollected Rates,	9,484 10	
Uncollected Labor and Material,	186 32	
	<hr/>	\$48,780 41

Water is supplied to 2,987 families, 2,232 water-closets, 1,103 bath-tubs, 516 hose, 55 stables, 263 horses, 180 cows, 227 stores, offices and shops, 5 bakeries, 10 halls, 10 hotels and boarding houses, 41 urinals, 14 markets, 4 banks, 12 saloons, 10 churches, 4 cemeteries, 3 hot-houses, 4 laundries, 3 printing offices, 8 manufacturies, 2 billiard rooms, 2 photo saloons, 3 woolen mills, 2 electric plants, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. Road. County buildings, Town buildings, street sprinkling, and gas works.

Respectfully submitted,

N. REEVES JACKSON,

Collector Water Rates.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Water Commissioners.

Gentlemen: In accordance with the custom of this department, I submit herewith the annual report of the Superintendent of the Plymouth Water Works for the year ending December 31, 1922.

TABLE SHOWING LENGTH, SIZE AND COST OF PIPE
LAID IN 1922.

LOCATION	Length in feet	Size in inches	COST
Standish Heights	755	6	\$1,007.00
Court Street	70	6	
	36	8	
	1,578	10	4,709.50
Cherry Street Extension	248	4	210.20
Standish Avenue Bridge	150	12	485.42
TOTALS	2,837		\$6,412.12

RAINFALL.

The rainfall for the year 1922 was 47.71 inches.

The average annual rainfall for the past thirty-six years has been 46.53 inches, so that the 1922 rainfall was 1.18 inches above the average.

The usual rainfall table is shown on a following page and gives the annual rainfall from 1887, inclusive, to 1922, inclusive, and the monthly rainfall since 1891.

The last column in the table shows the annual variation in inches from the average for a period of thirty-six years.

TABLE SHOWING SUB-DIVISION OF USE OF
METERED WATER.

For What Use.	Quantity in Gallons.
Domestic,	67,867,400
Manufacturing,	47,442,000
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., and Electric Light,	10,187,000
Hotel and Restaurants,	5,044,900
Laundries,	5,048,000
State, County and Federal Buildings,	2,135,000
Stables and Garages,	3,136,300
Miscellaneous,	8,064,780
	<hr/> 148,926,000

We have now in service 763 meters of various sizes and the above table shows the sub-division of the use of metered water by various classes of consumers.

Table showing total rainfall since 1887, and monthly rainfall since 1891.
Also annual variation from the average in inches.

YEAR	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL	Variation from av. in inches
1887													43.14	- 3.40
1888													50.28	3.74
1889													49.14	2.60
1890													51.80	5.26
1891	8.36	5.32	5.04	4.02	1.99	2.23	2.55	1.43	2.23	5.92	1.79	3.77	44.65	1.89
1892	3.79	2.72	4.56	1.26	3.91	2.12	1.81	4.16	2.14	2.29		1.75	37.90	- 8.64
1893	2.88	6.66	6.17	4.45	4.39	2.50	2.71	5.80	1.73	2.16	3.39	5.49	48.33	1.79
1894	3.50	4.85	1.56	3.97	4.35	1.54	1.08	0.73	2.37	7.97	4.98	5.78	42.68	- 3.86
1895	3.54	3.87	2.71	4.79	2.73	2.04	3.58	2.05	3.27	6.89	3.95	3.85	40.27	- 6.27
1896	2.75	4.73	5.82	0.88	2.93	3.59	2.27	1.71	5.65	3.60	3.41	1.75	39.09	- 7.45
1897	4.24	2.08	2.31	4.28	3.65	2.99	2.88	2.91	1.42	0.87	6.42	3.27	37.32	- 9.22
1898	3.75	4.04	2.77	5.82	5.65	1.93	6.58	7.33	1.35	8.96	8.48	2.24	58.40	11.86
1899	6.52	5.23	6.77	1.18	1.40	3.62	3.79	1.17	6.92	3.03		1.60	43.51	- 3.03
1900	4.86	5.35	3.62	1.95	5.11	2.29	1.37	3.28	3.10	5.40		3.15	44.84	- 1.70
1901	2.51	1.70	6.86	7.78	8.54	1.46	4.38	2.25	2.77	2.07	2.59	10.20	53.11	6.57
1902	2.22	5.53	7.82	2.98	1.32	3.68	1.39	1.43	3.65	5.32	1.72	6.77	44.53	- 2.01
1903	4.43	5.36	7.94	7.45	0.67	4.74	2.44	5.44	1.45	6.32	3.22	3.98	53.46	6.92
1904	5.44	3.61	2.47	9.11	2.23	2.58	4.02	3.52	3.18	1.85	3.53	4.10	45.64	8.82
1905	4.50	2.16	2.87	2.32	1.11	8.01	1.78	2.99	0.93	1.72	2.04	4.21	40.64	5.82
1906	4.05	5.33	8.69	2.34	5.28	2.36	6.42	2.02	2.98	4.50	3.45	3.13	50.55	4.01
1907	3.92	3.41	2.31	4.08	3.68	2.70	1.10	1.82	1.16	2.91	6.82	6.90	50.81	4.27
1908	3.78	4.37	3.95	2.48	2.98	2.80	3.87	4.41	1.61	10.19	1.53	4.28	45.75	- 7.9
1909	5.44	6.18	3.74	6.41	3.51	3.03	1.83	2.44	4.95	2.23	8.15	3.34	51.25	4.71
1910	5.98	5.82	1.05	2.51	2.27	3.82	2.71	2.32	1.81	1.94	5.69	2.96	38.88	- 7.66
1911	3.17	3.45	3.38	3.68	0.77	3.05	6.84	4.66	3.41	3.60	6.59	3.58	46.21	- 3.33
1912	4.88	4.90	3.40	6.66	2.30	1.57	2.32	3.50	1.99	1.26	3.83	6.16	43.92	- 2.62
1913	4.09	3.50	5.42	5.45	2.90	1.00	1.77	3.03	3.49	11.08	2.79	4.61	48.29	1.75
1914	3.62	4.82	5.32	3.47	2.30	4.62	2.40	2.40	1.67	2.20	3.47	6.73	45.30	- 1.24
1915	10.35	3.98	0.09	3.47	2.30	4.58	2.72	6.19	1.55	4.22	2.37	4.99	46.71	1.7
1916	1.46	5.51	4.80	5.62	3.51	5.53	9.07	2.19	2.46	2.88	3.30	3.88	50.28	3.74
1917	3.36	2.59	6.27	4.88	7.02	6.53	2.20	3.40	3.32	5.02	0.60	2.82	47.53	- 9.7
1918	4.59	2.95	2.52	6.22	0.53	2.95	2.64	1.61	4.05	0.71	2.25	4.32	34.92	- 11.62
1919	4.86	3.77	5.06	3.78	5.47	2.07	4.73	7.65	3.63	2.67	5.58	2.61	53.20	6.66
1920	4.24	9.02	5.60	4.92	4.48	7.39	3.04	3.13	2.73	1.84	5.11	4.19	55.69	8.62
1921	2.90	3.47	3.79	5.96	5.23	2.41	5.84	2.55	1.09	1.56	9.10	2.80	49.72	3.18
1922	2.72	4.45	6.30	2.36	3.88	4.34	4.17	9.20	1.61	2.70		4.85	47.71	1.17
AV.	4.27	4.27	4.46	4.28	3.47	3.17	3.50	3.43	3.19	3.94	4.12	4.18	46.54	

POND ELEVATIONS AND STORAGE DEPLETION.

Plate I is the chart that is presented annually and shows graphically the variation in pond heights and consequent change in storage volume of Great and Little South Ponds, from July, 1905 to December, 1922, inclusive.

The monthly and annual rainfall for the above period is shown on the same chart.

On January 1, 1922, Great South Pond was 106.0 and on January 1, 1923, it was 106.1 above mean low water.

The highest elevation reached during the year was 106.7 in the months of April and May.

An inspection of the chart shows that on January 1, 1923 there was about 855 million gallons in storage above the intake pipe at Little South Pond.

SCHEDULE.

Showing the number of feet of each size of pipe and number and size of gates, blow-offs and hydrants.

Size in inches	LENGTH OF PIPE IN FEET	No. of Gates	No. of Check Valves	No. of Air Cocks	No. 10 in. B. O.	No. 8 in. B. O.	No. 6 in. B. O.	No. 4 in. B. O.	No. 2 in. B. O.	No. Hydrants
30	80	1								
20	190			1			1			
18	7,424	4		8		1				
16	16,424	12		13	2					3
14	10,352	11	1	9						3
12	11,230	28		6			2	1		15
10	36,034	58		8	1		3			32
8	30,852	82		6				1	2	40
6	66,416	186		12				4	3	81
4	71,923	179		7				6	7	58
3	6,629	11							2	2
2½	458									
2	42,074	98		3					5	1
1½	382	2								
1	1,472	9								
Tot'ls	301,940	681	1	73	3	1	6	12	19	235

CONSUMPTION FOR 1922.

Plate II is a graphic chart that shows the average daily consumption each week for the year 1922.

The dotted line shows the low service consumption, the full line above the high service, or pumping, and the top line is the total consumption which is the sum of the low service and high service.

The average daily low service consumption for the year was 430,000 gallons, the high service was 850,000 gallons and the total, 1,280,000 gallons.

The high service was 66% and the low service was 34% of the total consumption.

EXAMINATION OF SUPPLIES.

During the fall of 1922, a disagreeable taste and odor developed in the water supply for a few weeks and then, apparently, disappeared.

In order that we might get the best available information as to the cause of the trouble, the State Department of Health was appealed to for advice. Six samples of water were sent to them for examination from the following sources: Boot Pond, Great South Pond, Little South Pond, high service reservoir, low service reservoir and from the Water Department office service.

A copy of the letter from the Department of Health follows and shows that the total number of organisms found in the samples was small and practically no organisms were found in large numbers which are likely to cause any disagreeable taste or odor in the water.

January 22nd, 1923.

Mr. A. E. Blackmer,
Superintendent of Water Works,
Plymouth, Mass.

Dear Sir,—

In response to your request, this Department has caused an examination to be made of certain samples of water collected by you from the sources of water supply in the Town of Plymouth in order to ascertain the cause of complaint relative to odor and taste in the water.

The result of these examinations do not show the cause of the offensive odor and taste in the water but do show that the total number of organisms found in these samples was small and except in the case of Boot Pond, practically no organisms were found in any considerable numbers which are likely to cause any disagreeable taste and odor in the water. The organisms chiefly represented in samples collected were those of the Diatomaceae group, and an odor similar to that caused by the organisms *Dinobryon* was noted in the samples collected from Little South Pond, the high service reservoir and the low service reservoir.

It is possible that just previous to the collection of the samples by you these organisms were present in large numbers but had disappeared at the time the samples were collected or, because of the direction of the wind and consequent motion of the water in the ponds, the organisms had been diverted from the vicinity of the intake or the points where samples were collected and, therefore, the samples of water submitted did not represent average conditions throughout the pond.

I am submitting herewith, for your information, a copy of the results of the microscopical examination of samples of water collected.

The Department will be pleased to investigate further the presence of microscopical organisms in the source of your water supply if you so request.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) ARTHUR D. WESTON,

Assistant Engineer.

In addition to the special examination of the water supply made in December, 1922, the usual regular analysis have been made and a copy of two of these, which is typical of them all, is appended herewith.

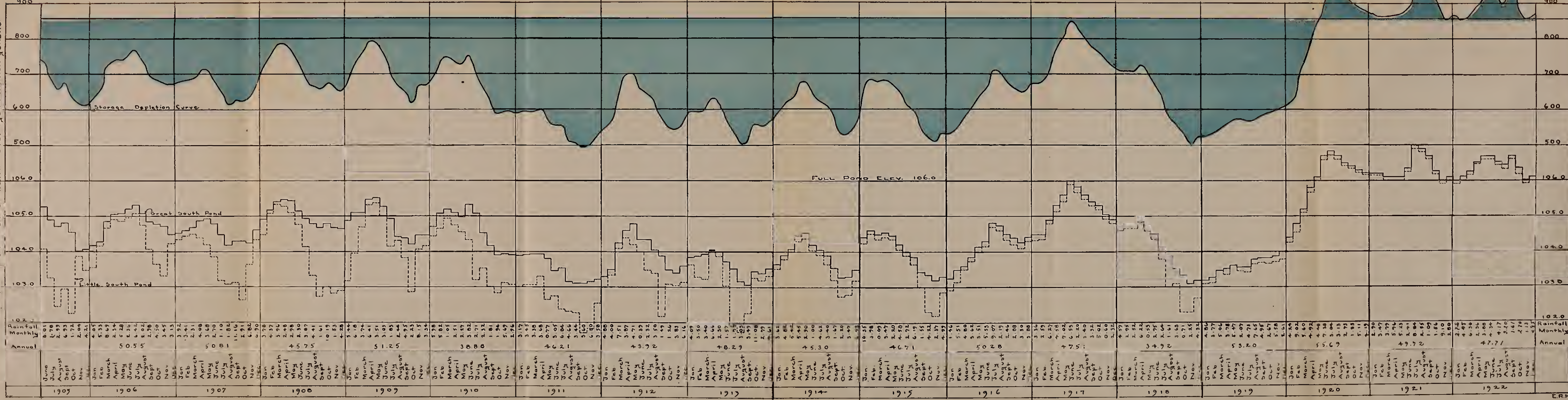
Respectfully submitted,

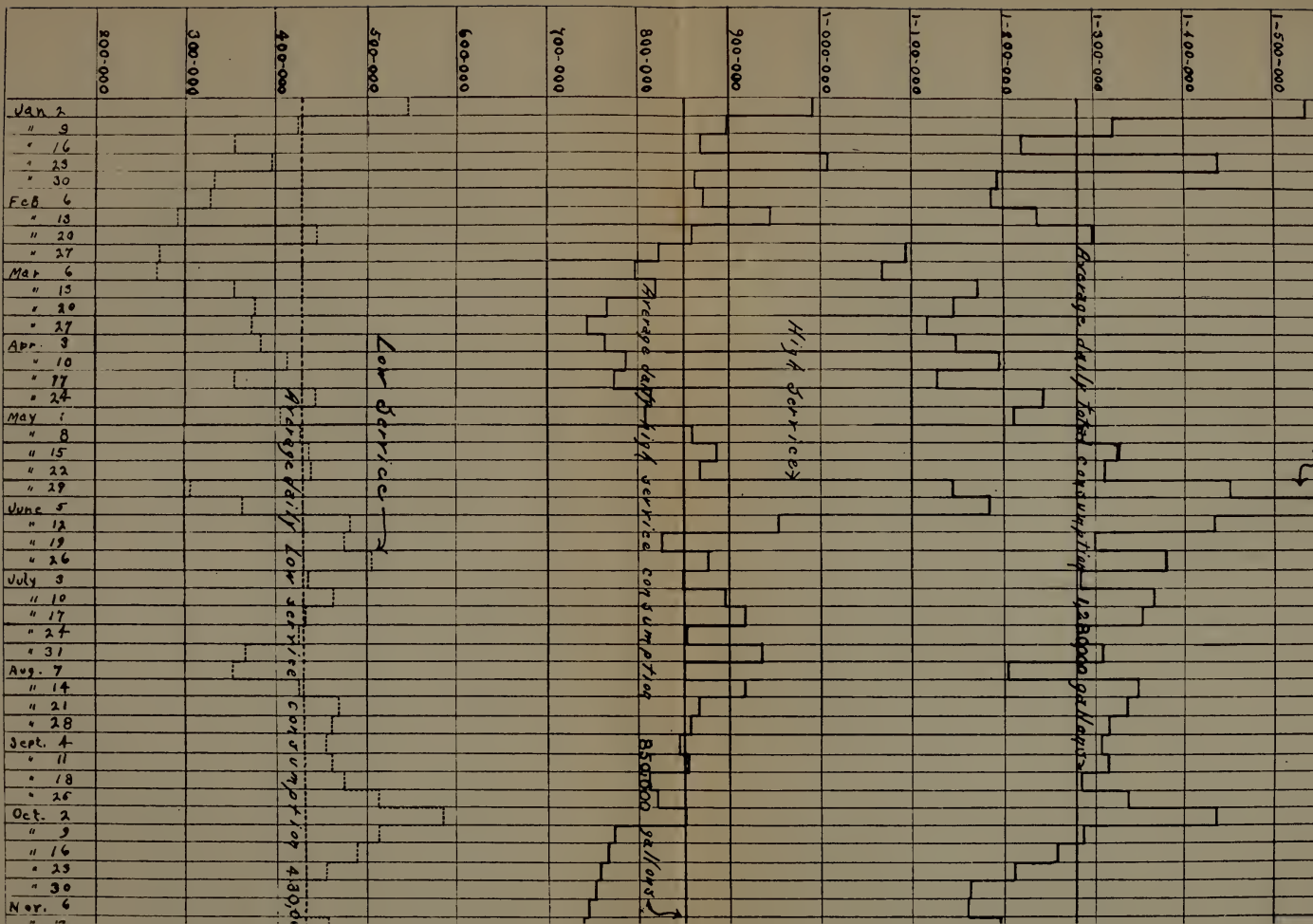
ARTHUR E. BLACKMER, Superintendent.

Pond elevations above M.L.W.—Storage in million gallons.

COMBINED STORAGE OF GREAT AND LITTLE SOUTH POND BETWEEN GRADE 98.0 AND 106.0 = 855,000,000 GALLONS

PLATE I





WATER ANALYSIS, 1922.

No.	DATE OF COLLECTION	APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA				CHLORINE		NITRO-GEN AS		OXYGEN CONSUMED	HARDNESS	NAME OF POND
		TURBID-ITY	SEDI-MENT	COLOR	TOTAL	LOSS ON IGNITION	FIXED	FREE	TOTAL	IN SOLUTION	IN SUSPENSION			Nitrates	Nitrates			
	1922																	
162186	Jan. 25	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	2.90	1.00	1.90	.0004	.0078	.0058	.0020	.76	....	....	....	..	0.6 .005	Boat
162190	Jan 25	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	2.70	1.10	1.60	.0008	.088	.0072	.0016	.70	....	....	....	...	0.8 .012	Great South
162191	Jan. 25	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	3.40	1.55	1.85	.0032	.0128	.0118	.0010	.82	....	....	....	...	0.5 .098	Little South
163112	Mar. 30	V. Slight	V. Slight	.05	3.25	1.30	1.95	.0006	.0124	.0084	.0040	.64	....	....	....	...	0.5 .012	Boat
163113	Mar. 30	V. Slight	V. Slight	.03	3.45	1.25	2.20	.0004	.0074	.0068	.0006	.59	....	....	....	...	6.3 .010	Little South
163114	Mar. 30	V. Slight	V. Slight	.02	4.30	1.00	3.30	.0006	.0106	.0092	.0014	.62	....	....	....	...	1.0 .010	Great South
164391	June 22	V. Slight	V. Slight	.02	2.65	0.80	1.85	.0004	.0100	.0084	.0016	.60	....	....	....	...	0.1 .015	Boat
164392	June 22	None	V. Slight	.01	2.45	1.10	1.35	.0006	.0090	.0084	.0006	.60	....	....	....	...	0.2 .005	Little South
164393	June 22	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	2.90	1.00	1.90	.0012	.0122	.0088	.0040	.62	....	....	....	...	0.2 .012	Great South
164964	July 19	V. Slight	V. Slight	.02	2.85	0.75	2.10	.0064	.0106	.0090	.0016	.62	....	....	....	...	0.2 .012	Little South
164965	July 19	V. Slight	Slight	.00	3.15	0.95	2.20	.0100	.0082	.0080	.0002	.62	....	....	....	...	0.1 .008	Great South
164966	July 19	V. Slight	V. Slight	.01	2.70	1.00	1.70	.0050	.0092	.0092	.0000	.63	....	....	....	...	0.1 .013	Little South

PUMPING RECORDS, 1922

The pumping station records shown on this page give in detail the amount of water pumped, fuel used, etc., at the pumping station during the year 1922

MONTHS	Hours run	Total lbs. fuel used	Gravity	Pumping	Average Gravity	Daily pumping	Rain in inches	Average temperature		Daily average fuel in pounds
								Max.	Min.	
January . . .	338 ³ / ₄	57,105	13,115.000	29,283.447	423,000	914,000	2.72	37	22.8	1842
February . . .	283	47,120	9,775.000	24,511.445	349,000	876,000	4.45	40.7	23.8	1682
March . . .	279 ³ / ₄	40,380	10,276.006	24,475.254	331,000	789,000	6.30	46	33	1593
April . . .	265 ³ / ₄	46,815	11,672.000	23,425.724	388,000	781,000	2.36	58	41	1560
May . . .	310 ³ / ₄	55,480	13,095.000	27,308.409	422,000	881,000	3.88	72.58	53	1790
June . . .	329 ¹ / ₂	59,230	12,967.000	29,697.055	441,000	990,000	4.34	79.8	65.5	1974
July . . .	293 ¹ / ₂	55,050	13,635.000	27,406.700	439,000	884,000	4.17	81.7	66.77	1775
August . . .	293 ¹ / ₄	56,250	12,817.000	27,386.020	413,000	884,000	9.20	81	68	1814
September . . .	278	51,450	14,200.000	25,302.470	473,000	843,000	1.61	74	60	1715
October . . .	270 ¹ / ₄	52,290	15,616.000	24,423.553	503,000	787,000	2.70	67	51.74	1707
November . . .	251 ¹ / ₄	47,550	13,365.000	22,236.601	445,000	741,000	1.13	50.86	40	1585
December . . .	280	53,140	16,835.000	24,578.656	543,000	793,000	4.85	40.96	28	1714
	2,486	630,860	157,358.000	310,035.394			47.71			

3% allowed for slip.

	Hours run	Total lbs. Fuel used	No. gals. pumped	Av. No. gals. to 1 lb. coal	Average duty for year
New pump	3,483 ¹ / ₂	630,860	310,035.394	506	30,409,000
Old pump	2 ¹ / ₂	500	169,200	338	20,300,000

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

FIRE COMMISSIONER

OF

PLYMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

1922

REPORT OF FIRE COMMISSIONER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen:

A careful analysis of the records of the department will show an increase in number of alarms recorded over the preceding year, a fact which proves the necessity of maintaining an efficient organization to meet the growth of the town.

The greatest loss occurred during the month of April, and was occasioned by the forest fires crossing the Sandwich road and igniting buildings in Chiltonville. During the progress of this fire the entire department was on duty, and the Town of Kingston responded to our call for aid, and sent a chemical truck for duty at the Central Station to guard against a possible call from other parts of the town. The department also assisted the Forest Warden in fighting fires at South Pond, and gave attention to preventing buildings from catching fire that were in the path of the blaze.

In August a serious loss at the estate of Sherman L. Whipple was occasioned by lack of the water supply, and it was necessary to station the pumping engine at a pond and deliver water through 2,500 feet of hose.

The towns of Kingston, Plympton and Carver asked for assistance, and in each case the department responded with a piece of apparatus and a crew of men.

The inspection and test made by the Fire Underwriters, of the pumping engine, showed the apparatus to be 100% efficient, and the department is to be commended upon this showing, made after the pump had been in service for a period

of 5 years. During the year a 350 gallon pump was installed on Combination D, and many times proved its value at fires when a chemical stream was insufficient.

The Commissioner would call especial attention at this time to the condition of the Pope Hartford Chemical truck. This piece of apparatus was the first motor apparatus purchased, and has seen many years of service, and suffered accidents which have weakened its condition, and is liable to receive treatment while responding to fires which will put it out of commission. No appropriation has been asked to cover such a situation, but should it occur it would be necessary to purchase a new piece of apparatus if the town desires to keep the department up to its present efficiency.

ORGANIZATION.

Fire Commissioner,	Robert C. Harlow
Chief of Department,	Albert E. Hiller
Deputy Chief of Department,	Clifton B. Hatton

CENTRAL STATION.

Combination B Hose and Pumping Engine.

Combination D Hose and Pumping Engine.

Captain,	Fred W. Paty (Permanent)
Lieutenant,	A. E. Nickerson (Call)

Permanent Men.

E. G. Gardner	P. W. Gardner
C. L. Schroeder	J. Farris
C. T. Shaw	A. Burgess
E. Wood	

Call Force.

L. Battles	L. White
F. H. Donlevy	E. F. Nutter
Elmer Chandler	V. Peterson
W. E. Hurd	F. H. Britton
E. R. Morse	J. Sampson
D. Sullivan	A. A. Raymond
Peleg Chandler	

Ladder Company No. 1.

Captain,	H. F. Robbins (Permanent)
Lieutenant,	L. Hedge (Call)
G. J. Anderson	C. H. Hatton
J. E. Beauregard	Francis W. Lahey
G. C. Bunker	A. Barbieri
R. M. Fogarty	W. Baker

NORTH STATION.

Combination Engine and Ladder Company No. 2

Capt.—H. T. Cash	Lieut.—J. Stephen
W. I. Delano	J. Ruprecht
Axel Hultenius	R. Thorø
E. C. Hardy	H. P. Webber
W. S. Pierce	B. Wolf

HOSE.

The hose of the department has been tested and repaired if its condition warranted the expense. It will be necessary to purchase more hose this coming year to replace hose which has been in service for ten to twelve years.

FIRE ALARM.

New wires and repairs to the present system must be provided this year as failure to operate on the part of the signal system might mean a serious loss to life and property.

FIRE RECORD.

Out of Town,	9	Spontaneous combustion,	2
Soot,	27	Gasolene,	1
Sparks from chimneys,	4	Woods fire,	17
Hot ashes,	2	Automobiles,	4
Set by boys,	19	Electric wires,	4
Rubbish and bonfires,	17	Smoking,	3
Over heated stoves,	3	Sparks on roof,	2
Needless and false,	11	Blow torch,	1
Lightning,	4	Railroad,	17
Gas jet,	1	Fireworks,	1
Lamps exploding,	3	(Out of Town Calls)	
Unknown,	9	East Carver,	2
Oil stoves,	3	Plympton,	1
Starting fire with kerosene,	1	Duxbury,	1
Defective chimneys,	8	Kingston,	5

HOW EXTINGUISHED.

	Pump	Chemical Engine	Pony	No Action	Total	
Jan.,	1	5	6	5	17	
Feb.,	1	3	1		5	
March,	2	10	8		20	
April,	4	15	10	4	34	Lungmotor—1
May,	2	11	7		20	
June,	2	1	1	1	5	
July,	1	4	4	2	12	Lungmotor—1
Aug.,	4	3		3	11	Lungmotor—1
Sept.,	1	2	3	2	8	
Oct.,		4	7	2	13	
Nov.,	3	4	5	2	14	
Dec.,	3	6	4	1	14	
Totals,	24	68	56	22	173	

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1923.

Salaries and Wages:		
Permanent Force,	\$20,814 00	
Call Force,	3,370 00	
Other Employees,	100 00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$24,284 00
Equipment and Repairs,		3,150 00
Hydrant Service,		300 00
Fuel and Light,		1,355 00
Maintenance, Buildings and Grounds,		250 00
Other Expenses,		150 00
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Total,		\$29,489 00

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT C. HARLOW,
Fire Commissioner.

ALARMS—FIRE LOSSES—INSURANCE.

MONTHS	ALARMS			VALUES INVOLVED				TOTALS		INSURANCE	
	Bell	Pulmotor	Total	Value of Buildings	Loss on Buildings	Value of Contents	Loss on Contents	Values Involved	Loss on values Involved	Buildings	Contents
JANUARY	16	1	17	\$ 35,100.00	\$ 272 00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 123.00	\$ 40,100.00	272.00	\$ 2,900.00	\$ 500.00
FEBRUARY	5		5	10,040.00		10,000.00		20,000.00	123.00	6,000.00	4,000.00
MARCH	17	3	20	44,300.00	636.00	19,000.00	340.00	63,300.00	976.00	33,800.00	14,700.00
APRIL	18	5	23	32,400.00	7,153.50	3,825.00	400.00	36,225.00	7,553.50	14,900.00	1,000.00
MAY	20		20	11,200.00	1,513.41	11,062.20	915.00	22,262.20	2,428.41	8,200.00	6,970.00
JUNE	5		5	6,000.00	24.00	3,400.00	40.00	9,400.00	64.00	3,500.00	1,000.00
JULY	4	3	12	15,000.00	100.00			1,500.00	100.00	1,000.00	
AUGUST	9	1	11	5,000.00	4,000.00	3,055.50	2,055.50	8,055.50	6,055.50	5,000.00	3,055.50
SEPTEMBER	8	1	9	4,500.00	40.00	1,200.00		5,700.00	40.00	2,500.00	
OCTOBER	12	1	13								
NOVEMBER	12	2	14								
DECEMBER	11	3	14	2,300.00	1,308.00	17,800.00	5,000.00	40,800.00	6,308.00	14,000.00	13,500.00
TOTALS	152	15	167	173,060.00	15,046.91	74,342.70	8,873.50	247,342.70	23,920.41	91,800.00	44,725.50

REPORT OF WHARF COMMITTEE

The Committee, appointed by the Town at the regular March meeting, "to represent the Town in all matters pertaining to the re-location of wharf facilities" submits the following report.

The Committee has considered that its instructions were to inquire into the possibilities of replacing such of the water front facilities as have been destroyed by the Tercentenary improvements, and to take such steps as would help to secure Federal and State assistance in dredging a channel to a new wharf, if the Town should decide to build one.

Since the present State pier affords facilities for a public landing for pleasure boats and the passenger steamer, it has seemed to the Committee that the requirements for a new wharf would be largely commercial.

We believe that the proper location for the new wharf, if one is built, would be on Water Street, at the foot of Park Ave., starting from the northerly line of the Lothrop lot and extending northerly to the Goodall property, opposite the foot of Lothrop Street.

If a wharf were built on this location it would occupy land now owned by the Town of Plymouth, the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, the American Woolen Company and Lewis Goodall.

All the land east of Water street now owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the American Woolen Company would have to be acquired, and a portion of the land owned by Goodall.

Several plans and suggestions for a wharf have been presented and discussed, but the one that has received the most favorable consideration by the Committee, is shown on the sketch accompanying this report.

It consists of an earth dike with a masonry rip rap slope, beginning on the easterly line of Water Street at the northerly line of the Lothrop lot and extending northerly about 1,400 feet to the foot of Lothrop Street.

It has been figured that the dredged material taken from the proposed new channel, extending from the present State pier to the new wharf, could be placed behind this rip rap slope and make about thirteen acres of filled land.

The necessary pile structures to reach the channel from the filled land would be built as indicated. It would be possible to have rail facilities on a wharf in this location by extending the existing track that now serves the Puritan Canning Company.

Lieut. Col. Wildurr Willing, District Engineer of the War Department, has made a survey and a favorable report on the proposed channel, to connect the existing channel at the State pier with the proposed new wharf, which he recommends should be 15 feet deep at mean low water, and 150 feet wide.

The estimated cost of this channel would be \$102,000.00, of which he recommends the Federal Government pay \$51,000.00, provided the State of Massachusetts contributes \$51,000.00 (providing the Town builds the wharf.)

In a recent letter from Lieut. Col. Willing, he stated that it seemed probable the Federal appropriation would be approved by March 1st, 1923.

A bill has been introduced into the State Legislature, requesting the Commonwealth to make an appropriation equal to that made by the Federal Government, as its contribution towards dredging the proposed channel.

Your Committee understands that no hearing will be held

on this bill until the Town has taken some action in the matter of making an appropriation for the construction of the wharf.

The Bay State Dredging Company has made an estimate of the cost of the necessary earth dike and rip rap slope of \$50,000.00.

The Aberthaw Construction Company made an estimate of the cost of the necessary pile piers and landings of \$46,000.00

The estimated cost of sewer and surface drain extension would be \$8,000.00, land damage \$7,800.00 and \$10,000.00 for engineering and supervision. This makes a total estimated cost of \$121,800.00.

Your Committee feels that it would be necessary for the Town to appropriate \$130,000.00, in order to build such a structure as we have considered.

The Committee expresses no opinion, and makes no recommendation on the larger question as to whether or not the Town should build a wharf. It merely says that if a wharf is to be built, it recommends the location and plans outlined above.

So that the Town may take action if it so desires, the Committee has introduced into the warrant the necessary articles.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK EASTWOOD,

HARRY B. DAVIS,

E. W. BREWSTER,

A. E. BLACKMER,

JOHN J. O'BRIEN,

CHAS. OTTEN, JR.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

1922

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

Term Expires

Edward W. Bradford, Chairman,	1925
Helen F. Pierce, M. D., Secretary,	1924
Ellis W. Brewster,	1923

The regular meetings of the School Board are held on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Superintendent of Schools, Horace F. Turner.

Office open from 8.30 to 12 a. m. and 1.30 to 4 p. m. every school day. Saturdays, 10 to 12 a. m., 7 to 7.30 p. m. every Wednesday.

Office hours of the Superintendent of Schools, 3.30 to 4.30 p. m., Mondays and Fridays. At other times by appointment.

Attendance Officer, John Armstrong.

School Physician, J. Holbrook Shaw, M. D.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 1, 1923.

We herewith present our annual report, together with financial statement for 1922 and budget for 1923.

In the latter part of May the Committee sustained a loss, when the Chairman, Mr. Frederick D. Bartlett, forwarded his resignation.

Conditions at the Jabez Corner school were very unsatisfactory and the question arose as to the advisability of closing the school. At a conference with the interested parties in that district a strong sentiment developed in favor of installing modern improvements and retaining the school. During the summer vacation, modern sanitaries and heating plant were installed, and we now have a first class school housed in a modern building.

We find the usual overcrowded condition in the north part of the Town, and the Committee feel that a building must be erected in that section during the present year.

At the completion of a survey of the school population now being made by the Superintendent, the Committee expect to appear before the Town with plans and specifications of a suitable building, which will relieve this congestion that has existed for several years.

Your attention is called to the report of the Superintendent of Schools for which we ask your careful consideration.

EDWARD W. BRADFORD,
HELEN F. PIERCE,
E. W. BREWSTER.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

RECEIPTS

Appropriation March 25, for 1921		
bills	\$3,351	14
Appropriation March 25	202,635	00
Income from Trust Funds	18	47
	<hr/>	\$206,004 61

PAYMENTS.

General Expenses	\$6,468	93	
Teachers' Salaries	138,524	30	
Text Books and Supplies	7,992	96	
Transportation	9,260	86	
Janitors' Services	11,532	21	
Fuel	11,392	25	
Repairs	12,011	73	
Equipment	1,140	40	
Medical Inspection	5,424	33	
Tuition	870	35	
Miscellaneous	1,382	37	
	<hr/>		\$206,000 69
Unexpended Balance			\$3 92

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, BUDGET FOR 1923

General Expenses

Superintendent	\$3,300 00	
Clerk	1,300 00	
Attendance Officer	300 00	
Printing, Postage etc.	450 00	
Telephone	60 00	
Traveling Expense	300 00	
Automobile Expense	500 00	
Freight and Express	300 00	
School Census	125 00	
All Other	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,935 00

Teachers' Salaries

Day	\$136,000 00	
Substitutes	2,000 00	
Evening	1,500 00	
Summer	450 00	
Americanization	3,500 00	
Practical Arts	700 00	
	<hr/>	\$144,150 00

Text Books and Supplies

Text and Reference Books	\$4,000 00	
Paper, Blank Books, etc.	3,000 00	
Industrial Training Supplies	500 00	
Domestic Science Supplies	1,000 00	
Typewriters	500 00	
	<hr/>	\$9,000 00

Transportation

Carfares	\$3,500 00	
Automobiles	6,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$9,500 00

Support of Truants		50 00
Janitors' Services		
Day	\$10,275 00	
Evening	225 00	
	<hr/>	\$10,500 00
Fuel and Light		
Coal and Wood	\$17,300 00	
Gas and Electricity	700 00	
	<hr/>	\$18,000 00
Maintenance		
Painting	\$1,000 00	
General Repairs	2,000 00	
Flags and Flagstaffs	100 00	
Janitors' Supplies	1,500 00	
Telephones	200 00	
Ashes Removed etc.	500 00	
All Other	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,300 00
Furniture and Furnishings		1,000 00
Tuition and Transportation (other towns)		1,000 00
Diplomas and Graduation		200 00
Medical Inspection		
School Physician	\$700 00	
School Nurse	1,400 00	
Supplies and Expenses	350 00	
Dental Clinic Maintenance	500 00	
Dental Nurse	1,300 00	
Dentist	800 00	
Auto Expense (School Nurse)	600 00	
	<hr/>	5,650 00
Total		<hr/> \$214,285 00

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee of Plymouth:

Following is my first annual report as Superintendent of the Plymouth School System.

During the few months that I have been associated with the School Committee in the work of educating the children of Plymouth, I have been impressed with the fact that the people of the Town seem to realize the importance, not merely of accumulating things, but of living. They care about education; they care about enriching life now and for the years that are coming.

The general problem for us is to bring about the education of children to prepare them for living among conditions as much different from those of today as conditions of today are different from those of a quarter of a century ago. The great changes that have come about in food, clothing, transportation and communication in the past twenty-five years have produced very different conditions of living. It is reasonable to expect that in the same length of time in the future there will be as many changes, if not more. The development of the industrial life of Plymouth has enlarged the scope of education. The schools have accepted the responsibility of teaching many things that were taught in the home before the coming of mills and the factory system.

The largest factor in the successful maintenance of schools is not the annual appropriation of money for their support. An intelligent understanding of the process of converting appropriated money into the intellectual, physical and moral growth of children in this particular school

system is needed on the part of each citizen, if he would bear his share of responsibility for the education of Plymouth's children and earn the right to criticize. The life of the banks and other commercial enterprises in the Town depends upon the confidence and good will of the people. The same factors are necessary for the successful maintenance of our greatest public enterprise,—the schools. This confidence and good will is of greater importance than appropriation of money.

In return, those of us who do any thinking about the matter are rightfully demanding that the development of certain enduring qualities in our children shall be the first aim of those entrusted with their education. We are not satisfied that the "Three R's" shall be the only commodities sold over our educational counters. We expect that not only the formal subjects shall be taught but in and through these self-control, respect for law, straight thinking, straight living, good health, right morals, resources for wholesome recreation and substance for the higher life. "Democracy is founded upon the expectation of certain virtues in the people," to quote from James Bryce. If our children are going to live later the kind of lives which membership in this community or anywhere in the American democracy requires, provision must be made for them to live such lives in school years. Their conduct must be based upon qualities more substantial than conventional morality. Education finds its highest meaning in the realization that the worth of life consists in the endeavor to live out in conduct the noblest of which one is capable. These statements may sound trite and idealistic, but such worth is recognized in the commercial field and has its money value; it is the basis for the greatest achievement in business or professional life or any other life.

To the accomplishment of this end it is possible for Plymouth to have a school system excelled by none,—not in the beauty and grandeur of its buildings, but by working with the homes and all other forces for education in the community in the teaching of boys and girls to live.

It is our purpose to develop and maintain excellent schools and let the work speak for itself through satisfied parents, loyal teachers, and capable children who will take their places in the town as able citizens.

When the Superintendent began the duties of his office about the first of August there were several problems which called for immediate attention.

The largest and most far-reaching in its effects upon the pupils was that of securing principals and teachers before the opening of school a month later. There were twenty vacancies. A principal and nine teachers were needed at the High School, five teachers at the Junior High School, and a principal and four teachers in the elementary schools.

The combined salaries for these positions for one year require an expenditure of over thirty thousand dollars. The number of pupils directly influenced is nearly a thousand. Teaching is the most important factor in the school system. For this purpose the whole organization and expenditure of money exists. Hence it was imperative that the greatest care should be exercised in the selection of teachers. Schools were closed and it was impossible to see candidates at work.

On the opening day in September there was a trained teacher in each school-room where a vacancy had existed a month before, and we have reason to believe that the quality of teaching has not been lowered.

A problem of less importance presented itself in the purchase of supplies. It was necessary to determine the needs of the various schools, order the supplies, and arrange for their distribution. The emergency was met with the aid of principals and teachers.

SCHOOL GROUNDS.

There is one condition existing at several of our school buildings that limits the work of physical education. With increased enrolment the playground facilities have become inadequate.

If all of the pupils at the Cornish and Burton Schools were to stand at equal distances covering the whole area of the playground, any one of them could reach out in any one of four directions and touch his neighbor. A piece of ground six feet square is not large enough to provide play space for an active boy or girl. That is the condition at the present time.

Various interests in the community are working to close the street between the two buildings. This would eliminate an existing danger from automobiles and add approximately seven thousand square feet to the area of the grounds. The undertaking is worthy of the active interest of all citizens of the Town.

The portable building in the rear of the Knapp School has taken an appreciable area from the playground in that district. The increased number of children in itself reduced the amount of space for each child. The two factors together have greatly reduced the facilities for outdoor activities.

A new building recommended in past years and elsewhere in this report would make possible the removal of the porta-

ble building. This would increase the available area of the grounds.

Ample and attractive surroundings are an important part of any school plant.

BUILDING PROGRAM.

The proposition of a new school building is not a new one. The need has been emphasized each year for the past six years in the annual report of the Superintendent and the School Committee. The problem of maintaining suitable housing conditions in a growing school system is persistent.

It has now become increasingly insistent. Attempts have been made to take care of the immediate need by erecting portable buildings. These have served the purpose well for a short time as an emergency method. There are two portables and two obsolete buildings in use now which will provide pupils for seven rooms in a new building. Construction has been deferred from time to time because of high cost. Authorities on construction costs lead us to believe that nothing further is to be gained in this respect by waiting longer. The time has arrived for definite, clear-cut action.

SCHOOLS AND THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

A commendable plan to encourage reading of the right kind of books is being carried on jointly by the Public Library and the schools. A pupil who gives evidence to the Librarian of having read five books from a prescribed list for his grade in the course of the year receives a certificate from the State Board of Education and the Library.

The possibilities of this activity for formation of habits and influence of character are far-reaching. Wider publicity will be given to the plan during the coming months.

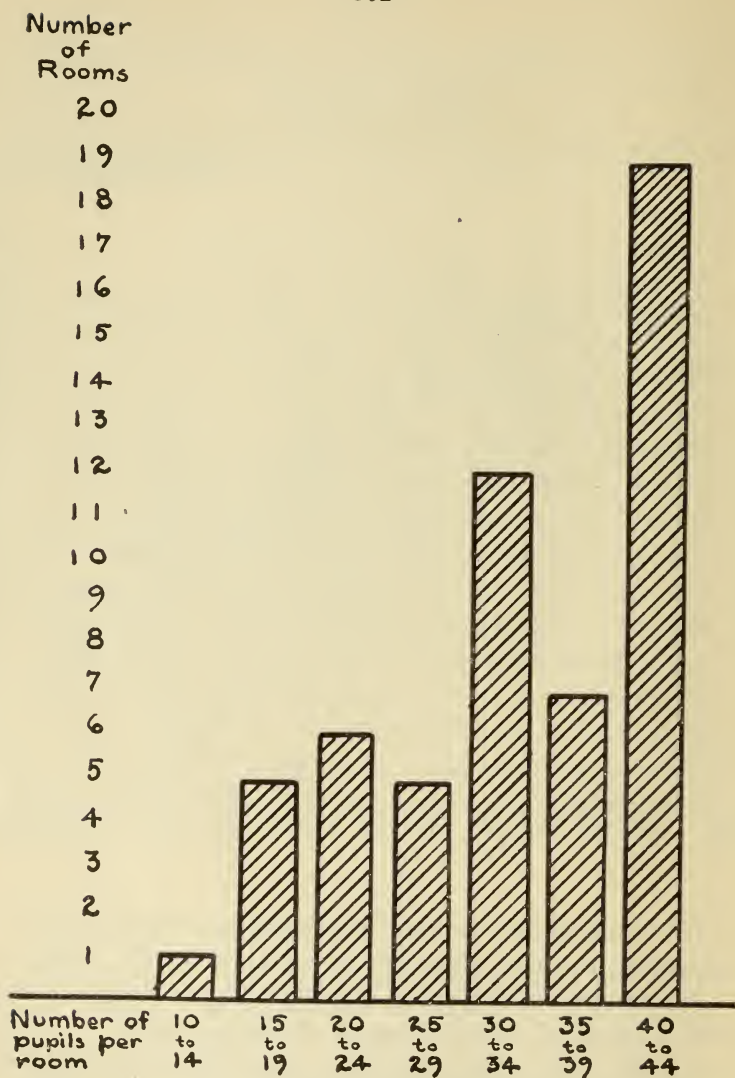
SCHOOL GRADE.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Ttl.	
CHRONOLOGICAL AGE.	6 | 88	5												93	
	7 | 163	66	1											230	
	8 | 58	143	59	2										262	
	9 | 11	65	114	48	3									241	
	10 | 3	28	71	120	28	1	1							252	
	11 |		10	30	81	84	37	10						252	
	12 | 1	4	19	45	65	87	49	3		2				275	
	13 | 1	3	10	16	47	51	66	28		22	2			246	
	14 |		4		8	26	44	38	52	9	40	13		234	
	15 |		1	2	5	18	22	30	25	22	32	37	9	1	204
	16 |				3	2	5	1	12	5	25	22	27	5	107
	17 |				1		1	1	2	1	9	14	31	23	83
	18 |										2	9	7	16	34
	19 |													5	5
	20 |										1		1	1	3
	21 |													1	1
	Total	325	329	306	329	273	248	196	122	37	133	97	75	52	2522

This chart shows the number of pupils in each grade in December arranged according to age as of April 1, 1922.

The number in full-faced type indicate the largest number of pupils of the same age in any given grade.

Some of the over-age pupils on the chart are in the special room at the Knapp School and others are in the South Street Individual School.



This graph shows the number of pupils per room or per teacher in the elementary schools.

It will be noticed that nineteen of the fifty-five rooms represented have forty or more pupils each and thirty-eight have thirty or more each.

The small enrollments are in the rural or special schools.

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

Mr. Horace Turner,

Superintendent of Schools, Plymouth, Massachusetts:

Mr dear Mr. Turner—The report of the Principal of Plymouth High School is herewith submitted:

At the reopening of school in September a larger number of pupils were enrolled than in any former year. The total registration approached closely to four hundred. The increase in the number of high school pupils is not merely a local condition. Nor is it a temporary state. The influx of young people to secondary institutions is widespread. Investigation of the last three decades shows the growth to be continuous. It is due to the increased recognition of the economic value of education, the broader opportunities offered by the school system, and the demands of democracy for intelligent participation. The service rendered by the high school to the community needs to be augmented even more. There is no reason to believe that Plymouth is beyond the pale of the general progressive educational trend. Let me reiterate the statement of former principals. Plymouth High School NEEDS MORE CLASS ROOMS.

The duration of the present administration has been four months. Many changes in the corps of teachers were made in the summer vacation. The selection of new teachers was exceedingly fortunate. The co-operating spirit of the experienced and skilled teachers who remained has been worthy of constant approbation. The success of the school has been entirely due to the efficient work, unflagging spirit, and constructive counsel of the instructing force. Changes in administration have been introduced gradually and

quietly. But alterations have been made only to aid the student body to acquire fruitful knowledge, to develop right attitudes, and to express these in action.

HEALTH AND RECREATION.

One of the cardinal principles of secondary education is proper instruction concerning the care and the exercise of the body. The work of the teachers in the science department has been so planned and co-ordinated that hygiene, proper foods, and the various phases of health instruction are presented without separate courses. There is duplication only where emphasis is needed.

We are complying with the state law concerning physical exercise. Calisthenics are held daily. These exercises are held for only a few minutes. The pupils are not dressed for the purpose. The space and equipment is insufficient. But the training is UNIVERSAL. Every pupil receives the benefit. The healthy and robust pupils are not singled out and given intensive instruction. Correct sitting and standing postures are being developed by these gymnastics. Proper breathing habits are being formed. Unused muscles are being called into action. In general, the health of all is better.

Organized athletics with interscholastic competition have not been abolished. But a school athletic team tends to develop only a few individuals and the few selected are usually already well developed. Sports in school are primarily valuable to mold character, to develop a spirit of fair play, and to teach the subordination of individual glory to the welfare of the group. Football and baseball have been retained as sports. Basketball has been abandoned because it is too fatiguing for growing youths unless a

proper place is provided for regular practice. Interest in track events has been fostered.

The dramatic work has been continued not only because it provides funds for extra-curricula activities, but it is adapted to develop qualities in some students which would not be revealed otherwise.

The publication of a school paper has been revived. Many pupils learn to do by doing. Expression in action often is the best teacher. The school periodical furnishes an opportunity to the pupils to test their powers. It is one of the best incentives for better work in English.

STANDARDS AND SUBJECTS.

Although the devices used formerly for the improvement of scholastic work have been retained, other expedients have been instituted to promote a higher standard of scholarship. The more prominent of these are the honor roll announcements and the system of checking up appointments for incomplete work.

The experience of the entire faculty has been used in planning a reorganization of the course of study in order that the students may derive a maximum of benefit. Many conferences have been held by different groups and the decision is unanimous that the teaching of subjects intensively for one year is much more beneficial than instruction of the same number of hours extended over a longer period of time. Accordingly, the following specific recommendations are made:

1. That algebra be offered five periods per week during the first year and five periods per week during one-half of the third year instead of two and one-half years as at present.

2. That bookkeeping be offered five periods per week

during the second and third years instead of during the first three years.

3. That typewriting be reserved for the later years of the high school work.

4. That all history and civics classes be maintained five periods weekly of which one period shall be assigned for library work.

5. That commercial arithmetic be made compulsory for the freshman year for commercial pupils.

6. That salesmanship be added to the list of commercial subjects presented.

7. That domestic science be compulsory for all girls during one year.

8. That lockers be installed in the coat rooms.

PROMISCUOUS ELECTIVES.

By the test of trial and error the fact has become recognized that the program of studies in a public high school best meets the needs of pupils when there are a few curricula in which certain subjects are constant and other subjects are elective.

One of the prime functions of a junior high school is to explore the interests, aptitudes and inclinations of pupils. A senior high school needs to cultivate and develop principally after the exploration. But the free elective system that is maintained in the Plymouth High School prolongs the exploration period unduly. Although educational guidance is provided for the pupils, there are many who complete the four years' work without any definite sequence of subject matter. What is the result? Some graduates desire to go to college, but find they have elected too many commercial subjects. There are others who desire to enter commercial offices, but have selected too many of the classi-

cal studies. An indiscriminate mixture of subjects does not form a course. It is difficult to progress without following a course. I recommend that a program of studies be adopted in which there will be a small number of curricula with constant and elective subjects.

WHO GOES TO HIGH SCHOOL?

WHY?

A private school frequently confines its student body to one course such as college preparation or accounting or electricity or mechanics. A public high school is maintained for the development of pupils whatever may be their natural bent. A public high school must cater to the public need. It must care for pupils of different mentalities, of different home environment and training, of different aims and prospects.

The high school needs to be prepared to fit young men and women for colleges and schools of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, law, education, secretarial science, business administration, agriculture, engineering and mechanics. The high school needs to train young people so that they may easily adapt themselves to home making, nursing, agriculture, salesmanship, office work and manifold other occupations. In order that pupils shall not be compelled to conform to the school a broad diversification of opportunity is necessary. The more extensive the departments of the high school the more satisfactory will the increasing needs of the community be served. There must be no retrenchment if thereby opportunities are withheld from children during the plastic period of their lives.

AGRICULTURE.

I take pleasure in incorporating parts of the report of the agricultural department as presented to me by the instructor, Mr. Young.

“The activities of our agricultural boys are much the same as have been described in the past. With special reference to out of door farm practice we have done orchard renovating, spraying, building construction work, tractor work, work connected with the handling of poultry such as killing and caponizing, gardening and many other varieties of farm work. We wish to thank our many friends who have made it possible for us to get this varied experience.



BERGMAN AND HIS BIRDS.



TRACTOR INSTRUCTION.

Enrollment—In September fourteen pupils were accepted and enrolled in the Department, although in June preceeding, thirty-four signified their intention of taking this course. The reduction in number was largely due to the fact that many do not understand the pre-requisites of a Vocational Agricultural Course. Had there only been a course in the high school on the general study of this subject, this desire could have been satisfied. However, many of last year's problems are eliminated because of the present number of pupils.

Equipment—Changes which have taken place since the end of the last school year have gone so far towards reducing the cost of the Agricultural Department that when considering the State Aid for this work, it is now one of the least expensive departments in the school to the Town. It should be noted that the School Committee no longer furnishes us with a Ford automobile and its maintenance. Also, some of the equipment hitherto bought for the De-

partment is now used in part or in whole by other pupils or parts of the school system.

Project Results—Accounts of the boys during the past year have shown that their garden, poultry, and other projects, have produced a clear profit of \$1,025.35, while they earned from farm labor and substitute work \$2,204.44, making a total earned of \$3,229.79, or in other words, about \$230.69 per average pupil for those who turned in their figures.

Some of our boys have won prizes at the various shows and fairs amounting to \$31.20 in all, covering a period of one year. Of these Hillery Bergman and Everett Pyle deserve special mention. Bergman won \$13.75 in prize money and for the most part, on poultry. At the Brockton Fair Pyle's pig took second place in the Junior Contest and fourth place in the Senior Contest. Of the boys in the freshman class, Robert McMahon has the best showing so far for the new year for prize winning."

WHAT THE SCHOOL NEEDS.

1. Varied opportunity.
2. More class rooms.
3. Gymnasium.
4. Re-organized program of studies.

The assistance rendered by you and the School Committee is appreciated. I also wish to thank the teachers and parents for their kind co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. MARSDEN, Principal.

GRADUATES OF PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.
CLASS OF 1922.

Class Motto: Deeds not Words.

'Anderson, George Gleason	*Harris, Katherine Ross
Anderson, Russell Waldo	*Houde, Lawrence Jessie
Arthur, Doris Lee	Hutchinson, Olin George
Axford, Clarence Albert	Johns, Flora Bell
Barke, Paul Theodore	Johnson, Lucy Burgess
Barrows, Gordon Doane	*Lang, Katherine Jean
Barrows, Vera Alice	Lichter, Abraham
*Bates, Frances Gillingham	Manter, Mary Hastings
*Borghesani, William Hugo	*Manter, Ruth Petronella
Boutin, Edith Margaret	McDermid, Helen Louisa
Boutin, Frances Dorothy	McGoff, John Joseph
Bradley, Gertrude Frances	McLean, George Richard
Brown, Beulah Gertrude	Peck, Evelyn Louise
Brown, George Porter	Pierce, Beatrice Carol
*Carletti, Elizabeth Amelia	Pitkin, Beatrice Grace
†Cash, Maurice Henry	Robbins, Ethel May
*Christofori, Lino Anthony	Rose, Henry Frederick
Cole, Sadie Forrester	†Ruprecht, Maurice Charles
Corkum, Gladys Ann	Sampson, Bernard Patrick
Cortelli, Enas Mary	Serwatka, Alice Elizabeth
Deans, Katherine Elizabeth	Sturkes, Gladys Amy
Dennehy, Raymond Augustin	Sykes, Esther
Dennehy, Rita Margaret	*Turner, Fredrica Vande Carr
Dittmar, Frederick Willard	Vassar, Carl Irving
Downie, Fred Wilson	Walsh, William Francis
Ellis, Amelia Louise	Weimert, Herman Peter
Engler, Nellie Rose	Weston, Kenneth Leslie
Ghent, Dorothy	Whitely, Francis Edward
Girard, Doris Mary	*Wright, Alice Manning
Hall, Caroline Bates	

* Honor Pupils.

† In excellent standing to date, their agricultural projects cannot be credited until harvest time. Their diplomas will be signed at this time.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL REPORT.

Mr. Horace F. Turner,

Superintendent of Schools, Plymouth, Mass.:

Dear Sir—At the close of the present year in June, the school will have completed its tenth year of organization. Although organized in 1913 to contain the eighth and ninth grades, it was not until 1917 when the newly enlarged building was completed that the seventh grade was introduced.

Nine hundred sixty pupils have graduated from the school, beginning with the class of 1914, numbering ninety-six to the class of 1922 inclusive, numbering one hundred fifty-five.

In its organization the emphasis was placed upon “the attempt to help the pupil explore his own aptitudes and to make at least provisional choice of the kinds of work to which he will devote himself.” It should be noted that many pupils become fourteen years of age during the eighth school year and are legally free to leave. As a proof of the holding power of the school, the records show that the per cent. of pupils leaving has been due almost wholly to economic reasons at home. There has been a steady increase in the number remaining to finish their course and enter High School. Fewer eliminations have taken place in the ninth than in any other grade and the percentage of girls leaving has been higher than that of the boys.

Pre-vocational training, a part of the regular course of study, has been one of the strongest holding powers. The

number of boys electing manual training varies from one-third to two-thirds of all the boys. Besides the opportunity to acquire information and knowledge with some degree of skill, the course also gives the application of arithmetic, mechanical drawing, design, and free hand drawing, and stimulates individual initiative.

The girls also have practical home tasks such as the theory of cooking, meal planning, table setting and table serving. In the sewing classes not only is the time given to the making of garments but also to the study of textiles. These two departments give the girls a chance to test their aptitudes.

Commercial training begun in the eighth grade is pre-vocational for both boys and girls. For those who do and those who do not intend to enter High School, it gives the opportunity to learn both typewriting and bookkeeping.

Provision is also made for those wishing to take an academic course by allowing a choice of either French or Latin. At the end of their Junior High School course pupils can, in most cases, know their aptitudes.

The fact that the purpose of the school is to train for intelligent and efficient citizenship has not been neglected. The qualities for these are acquired in history, civics and English, and by the observance of days of special importance. Ten selections of classic literature besides forty choice thoughts are memorized each year by all pupils.

I cannot speak too highly of the interest shown in the Library Club. This is evidenced not only by the number belonging in this school, but also by those boys and girls who, although now in High School, still keep up their membership and take an active part in its program.

Boys and girls who have left school for economic reasons sometimes return after the lapse of five or six months or even a year. This happens when the shop¹ or factory has

a dull season. In a few cases, they have returned to graduate. This spirit should be encouraged and, if a sufficient number of such pupils return, the policy of the school should be to arrange a program so that while here they may make the best possible use of their time.

More and more I see the necessity of utilizing all the activities of the school for those who may wish to continue an education, interrupted perhaps by conditions in the home. The Library Club could expand its program so as to admit those who have a leisure hour or two in the afternoon and who could profitably spend that time in wholesome reading.

There should be inaugurated some kind of a follow-up-system to enable one to learn to what extent the training given actually functions.

The school has always been active in both national, state and community service. The records kept during the war show to what extent it responded to the Red Cross, Victory Boys and Girls, and in buying War Savings Stamps. It has participated in community activities both by pageants and plays, in patriotic exercises and by contributions to commemorate the soldiers and sailors.

A summary of what the pupils past and present have purchased for the school through their entertainments are: The piano, victrola and all records, pictures that adorn the walls, reflectoscope with 300 slides, all the flags in the building and books for supplementary use. To beautify the exterior they contributed all the evergreen shrubs and paid for their setting out.

The following requisitions are suggested:

A coping of some kind around the roof to prevent snow slides.

A fire signal bell.

A program clock.

In closing this report, permit me to express my appreciation to all who have shown an interest and have been a help in the work of the school,—to the School Committee, the teachers, and the townspeople. It is only through the co-operation of these that the work can be successfully carried on.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHARINE A. O'BRIEN, Principal.

EXTRACTS FROM REPORTS OF PRINCIPALS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

CORNISH DISTRICT.

“The introduction of physical training and organized play has met with hearty endorsement and co-operation.

The policy of sending pupils to a higher grade, whenever it has been found to be an advantage to them to have this advancement without waiting for the regular time for promotion, has been followed. Several pupils will thus be able to gain a year. Several over-age pupils have also been transferred to high grades that they might be associated with pupils of more nearly their own age.

There seems to be an imperative need that some way be found to provide for the over-age pupils in this district. There are, at present, 22 pupils who are 14 years of age or over. It is desirable that these be given an opportunity to receive the special instruction they need. Their removal from the regular classes would make it possible to provide a room and an instructor at no additional expense except the necessary equipment.”

KNAPP SCHOOL.

“The separating of the sub-normal and much retarded pupils has been a decided advantage to the work of the various rooms. Likewise has it been an advantage to the pupil himself.

In the Overage Room at the Knapp there is need of much more along the line of Manual Training. At present the girls are given sewing once a week for one hour. This might

well have much more time. A bench and a few tools, where a boy could use his hands in really making something, would be decidedly an advantage.

The appointment of a Physical Director for the past year has brought many good results. The playground work has been carried on and has shown steady improvement.

The school is well equipped for visual instruction, having 800 stereographic views. Late last Spring a new Balopticon and 300 glass slides were purchased. This last represented an expenditure of over \$200. The entire amount as well as more for records and other things has been raised through the efforts of the teachers and pupils. This equipment greatly aids the work, especially in geography and history. The manner of obtaining it makes the pupils appreciate more than ever its value. We hope soon to obtain the rest of the set of slides.

We have had an orchestra during the past year which has met regularly after school. They have been able to play several numbers at the two entertainments given in the Cordage Auditorium this past year."

HEDGE SCHOOL.

"We have emphasized obedience to the law, the principles of democracy, and the duties of citizenship. Our School Club, which was organized early in the year, proved a valuable aid in this direction, but specific teaching is necessary and we need good text books for that purpose.

Much interest in the care of the teeth has been aroused under the direction of the dental nurse. A large percent of the pupils have bought tooth brushes, and the installation of dental apparatus in the building has made it possible for more children to receive treatment. Heretofore car

fares and the long distance to the dental clinic prevented many from getting much needed help.

The recent appointment of a physical director, who has charge of all physical training, is a decided help in the advancement of the health movement, and good results are already noticeable. With our fine health department and the sincere co-operation of the teachers much should be accomplished.

Our non-English speaking class continues to be a success, giving the children who would be handicapped in the grades on account of lack of knowledge of the English language a chance to advance with greater rapidity, and, at the same time inculcating high ideals in regard to American citizenship."

MT. PLEASANT SCHOOL.

"The school is in very good condition, the standard high, a fine corps of teachers who are ever ready to co-operate with each other, the principal, and the superintendent for the advancement of education.

Much improvement in reading through dramatizing has been accomplished.

There is decided improvement in composition and letter writing. One prize composition on 'Organized Play' was published in the 'Old Colony Memorial.'

Much has been done for the physical health and happiness of the child in this branch. Proper exercises and games are taught for the development of the body, and organized play has been established which still further perfects the child physically, gives every one a chance to have a good time and prevents indulgence in harmful games and pastimes. Some apparatus for the playground would advance this **good work.**

In arithmetic practical problems have been taught,—making change, oral and written drills on the fundamentals to develop accuracy and speed.

An inestimable work is done by the school physician, nurse and dental hygienist to improve the health of the pupils, keep them well, teach them habits of cleanliness and prevent the spread of disease and vermin.”

PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

Reports from the various schools indicate satisfactory progress of the work in physical education organized under a special supervisor. Since this is the first year the work has been conducted in this manner a large part of the report of the supervisor is given revealing the plan and scope of this branch of educational activity.

“One twenty-minute period a week is given to each room in most of the schools. All others, with the exception of Cedarville, are visited every two weeks and a longer period given.

The work taught consists of gymnastics, games, folk dancing and rhythmic work. Believing correct posture has much to do with health we have emphasized this point.

By teaching co-ordination of nerves and muscles, power of concentration, a sense of rhythm, ability to think and act quickly, this work does much toward training mind as well as body.

At the beginning of the school year one playground had organized play. It is hoped to have such on all school grounds before the end of the present school year. Stories written by the children show they much prefer this method to the old because they are taught many new games and there is less chance of accidents. Nowhere do children

learn more about self control and fair play than while playing games.

Because this recess period belongs to the children they are being taught to have entire charge of their play. A captain, first and second lieutenant are chosen by the children from each room. When there are more than one room playing together they take turns choosing games. The elected officers take charge. Teachers are always on the grounds and help when needed. By this method children learn to work together, respect laws made by their democracy, the school, and in this way are being trained for good citizenship.

Improvement in the surfaces of the playgrounds would be much appreciated. The Hedge and Knapp have many low places which are too wet for use after stormy weather. This greatly reduces the playing area so that many children cannot play as they wish. The Cornish ground is in very bad condition. I would strongly recommend the improvement as outlined for the larger playground by closing Russell Street. At present there is not enough room for all the grades so the two fourth grades have no outdoor recess in the morning. This should not be and could be remedied by having a larger playground. Most of the grounds are very dusty and should have something done to prevent this. The oil does not seem satisfactory.

Much credit is due the teachers in the schools for their splendid co-operation in this new work. I consider it a great pleasure to be the one to start this work in our town and I wish to express my appreciation to the superintendent and committee for their co-operation and support.”

STATE-AIDED PRACTICAL ARTS COURSES.

Evening and afternoon classes in practical arts were conducted at the High School. Women taking the courses were enrolled as follows:

Dressmaking,	56
Millinery,	72

Total Enrollment,	128
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The classes met for two lessons a week for twenty-four weeks. The courses were arranged to best meet the needs of those who came for instruction. They were open to all women in the Town.

One-half of the cost of instruction was paid by the State.

AMERICANIZATION AND EVENING SCHOOLS.

The work is set forth in the report of the director of Americanization and evening schools as follows:

“Adult classes in Americanization have been carried on during the past year for a period of twenty weeks.

One Beginner’s Class, two Intermediate Classes and one Citizenship Class have been in session three afternoons each week at the Cordage Company’s plant. The men assemble in Harris Hall, immediately after the work of the day, and the session lasts from five to six o’clock.

Classes in Americanization are conducted both at the Knapp and Cornish Evening Schools, a Women’s Class at Spooner Street School, and a class of men at the Portuguese National Band Club on Standish avenue. These Americanization Classes differ from the regular Evening School in that they are composed of adult men and women who are in the classes through their own initiative. The zeal manifested by these groups is most praiseworthy.”

Citizenship Classes were organized last year using the

new State Course for the first time. The number of men in those classes compared most favorably with towns and cities larger than Plymouth. This year these classes are still larger. No man in any of the classes last year failed to pass the Educational Test given by the Federal Examiner, which shows the excellent work done by the men and the patient, sympathetic work of the teachers.

The men in the Citizenship Classes are not only given the class instruction but are aided in the making out of Declarations of Intention, the sending for Certificates of Arrival and in any of the complications which many times arise.

Since the change in the Naturalization Laws, which took effect last September, the wives of alien citizens must go through the same process of Naturalization as do the men. Citizenship Classes for women will be necessary in the near future.

Three Intermediate women's classes are now in session. Two of these are held at the Knapp School and one at the Spooner Street School. All of them are obtaining excellent results.

The Class at the Portuguese National Band Club has continued its study three evenings a week, the same as last year. One-half the teacher's time is given to Beginners and the other half to Citizenship. This arrangement is to benefit members of the Club who wish both and is very satisfactory.

Plymouth is most fortunate in having a group of teachers for both Americanization and Evening School Classes who have received special training and have also had successful experience. The majority have State Certificates, given as a result of special training for this work. The

work requires patient, sympathetic as well as careful preparation. This I feel we have had.

The record of the Evening Schools from their opening in October until the present time is as follows:

KNAPP SCHOOL

Number of males enrolled	65
Number of females enrolled	18
Average number belonging	83
Average evening attendance	62.45
Per Cent. of Attendance	75.24

CORNISH SCHOOL

Number of males enrolled	35
Number of females enrolled	4
Average number belonging	39
Average evening attendance	21.72
Per Cent. of Attendance	55.72

The Americanization and Evening School Work is far reaching and is an opportunity which is being taken advantage of more than ever before."

SUMMER SCHOOL

Classes were conducted at the Cornish and Burton Schools five days a week for six weeks. The hours were from half past eight to half past eleven.

Pupils were enrolled as follows:

Grade	Membership
IV	23
V	23
VI	33
VII and VIII	27
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Total Membership	106

The purpose as stated by the principal is “to help those pupils into the next grade, who, in the judgment of the regular teacher, were not ready for promotion in June.” Pupils who failed to be promoted have the privilege of attending, but must return to the same grade in September. On the other hand, ambitious pupils who were promoted may come if they wish.

The largest attendance is usually in the sixth grade, due no doubt, to the fact that those pupils are preparing to enter Junior High School. Membership is smallest in the eighth grade. Last year none were conditioned from Junior High to Senior High. The eighth grade pupils who attended were preparing for ninth grade.

The work in the seventh and eighth grades is departmental. For that reason best results have been obtained when regular mathematics and English teachers have been in charge.

SCHOOL CENSUS, 1922.

	Males	Females	Total
Persons 5 to 7 years	202	217	419
Persons 7 to 14 years	820	870	1690
Persons 14 to 16 years	219	188	407
Illiterate Minors, 16 to 21 years	26	13	39

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS.

The tests of sight and hearing have been made by the teachers, as required by law.

Number of pupils examined	2484
Number found defective in eyesight	263
Number found defective in hearing	29
Number of parents or guardians notified	217

EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES.

During the year 1922 certificates were issued as follows:

102 First Certificates to minors 14 to 16 years old.

23 Subsequent Certificates to minors 14 to 16 years old.

191 First Certificates to minors 16 to 21 years old.

136 Subsequent Certificates to minors 16 to 21 years old.

Laws have been enacted from time to time in relation to child labor to the end that there shall be safeguarded for the child his rights in education and physical development. The liability is placed upon the employer.

There are several requirements to be observed by any individual or corporation employing a person under twenty-one years of age:—

1. An employer must require and place on file a certificate issued by the superintendent of schools or his representative. The certificate must be obtained before employment begins.

2. The employer must return the certificate to the superintendent of schools within two days after the minor has left his employ.

The rigid observance of these two requirements make it possible to account for minors in relation to school attendance and employment.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

Mr. Horace F. Turner,
Superintendent of Schools, Plymouth, Mass.

Dear Sir:

A more thorough physical examination has been given each pupil during the past year than ever before inasmuch as the routine examination of the child has been made to include the use of the stethoscope which heretofore had been employed only on those whose condition had in some way suggested it.

The more thorough the examination can be made, the greater the number of defects which can be brought to light without doubt, but there are practical considerations which limit the scope of our investigations. The ideal examination would require the removal of the clothing at least to the waist and this most medical leaders in school health work urge as of the greatest importance, although it is done in only a few wealthy communities. Moreover the presence of the parent is very desirable during the examination as his or her interest and cooperation are thus assured in the correction of those defects which may be disclosed.

Dr. Merrill E. Champion, Director of Division of Hygiene, Massachusetts Department of Health who urges such examinations in conference with the parent, tells us that they should take about twenty minutes for each individual, i. e. about three pupils could be examined in an hour. That one part-time physician with 2500 pupils to examine cannot devote 20 minutes to each pupil is evident, however desirable it might be to do so. Fortunately it is usually possible to get a very fair idea of the condition of the heart and lungs in

most cases without removing the clothing. The apices of the lungs, the portion first attacked by tuberculosis, is almost always readily accessible, and the sweater, the garment which offers the most serious obstacle to further auscultation of the lungs and heart may readily be pulled up out of the way.

Admitting that such an examination is not the most satisfactory but submitting that it is the only practical one for us it has yet been possible to detect a large number of defects. In a number of instances where a more thorough examination seemed essential the consent of the parents has been obtained for it.

Statistics given out by the Secretary of State November 23rd and covering the first six months of 1922 show that more than twice as many people died of heart disease as died of tuberculosis during that period, the exact figures being heart disease 4,741, against tuberculosis, 2,053.

The latter disease has been feared as the greatest scourge of civilization and a very effective offensive waged against it but now we have another enemy taking the lead. For the purpose of studying heart disease and fighting it a society of the leading heart specialists in the country called the Society for the Prevention and Relief of Heart Disease has been formed. This society has suggested five classes under which all those who have heart symptoms or might be expected to develop them may be grouped for the purpose of study. The classes are as follows:

- Class I. Patients with organic heart disease who are able to carry on their habitual physical activity.
- Class II. Patients with organic heart disease who are able to carry on diminished physical activity.
- Class III. Patients with organic heart disease who are unable to carry on any physical activity.
- Class IV. Patients with possible heart disease.
- Class V. Patients with potential heart disease.

Dr. Harry B. Schmidt under whose direction 148,000 children in Detroit were examined says: "When we consider that more than 2,000,000 people in the United States suffer from heart disease, and that a large proportion of these people give a previous history of rheumatism or chorea, it can be seen that great benefit will be derived from measures adopted toward prevention of these two diseases, which are so common in childhood and adolescence.

We must therefore of necessity begin with the child, and there is no better place for this campaign of education and investigation than in the schools throughout the United States."

The examination of pupils in our schools showed that there are thirty-two who have abnormal heart sounds. These cases were studied and classified as above with the following result: Class I, 8; Class II, 2; Class III, 0; Class IV, 22.

For Class V, those who show no signs or symptoms of the disease, but have had diseases which are known to be capable of producing it, we have no figures. It is, however, a large class for it includes all those who have had such diseases as rheumatism, chorea or St. Vitus dance, and tonsilitis. Those who have given the problem the most careful study believe that tonsilitis or sore throat is capable of causing heart trouble. It should therefore be considered as a serious disease and the child given the best of care and attention. It is especially important that he or she should not be put to work or sent back to school too soon after having been ill with a severe sore throat.

The sane way to deal with pupils with heart disease in the public schools is that advocated by Dr. Halsey of New York City whose successful handling of the problem in the public schools of that city is well known. He believes that as far as possible these children should be allowed to enjoy a normal school life. Much harm is done them he contends,

by the morbid fear of exercise entertained by many parents and teachers, for such children need the exercise as much or more than their normal companions. Dr. Halsey therefore lets them take physical exercise with the others, allowing them to be the judge of what is enough for them. The result is that many who begin timidly and fearfully gradually extend their activities until they are doing the full measure of work comfortably, without undue effort. Who can estimate the good it does such a child to take his place beside his fellows rather than be compelled to stand aside as a weakling.

DENTAL CLINIC

The activity and efficiency of our dental clinic has quite naturally attracted attention and in some quarters criticism. All the work may be placed under one of two heads, either Educational or Corrective.

Through talks on oral hygiene, tooth-brush drills, inspections and the awarding of attractive buttons, Miss White carries on the educational propaganda, but of all the methods which she employs nothing brings home the advantages of a clean mouth quite so forcefully as the thorough technical cleaning which she gives their teeth.

The Corrective program is carried out in the dental clinics held two mornings a week by paid dentists, Drs. Donovan and Dyer.

In view of the numbers who need the assistance of the clinic our policy is a preventive one, i. e. instead of turning out a few children with perfect mouths we do those things which will save the maximum number of useful teeth and eliminate possible sources of trouble for the greatest num-

ber of children. By doing some of the work that is most urgently demanded in their mouths we try to teach them the advantages of dental correction and implant a desire for it which will lead them to follow it up themselves.

The principals of the buildings, Miss White, and the dentists are watching to see that the clinic is not taken advantage of by children whose parents can afford private treatment, and no child is treated without a statement of the family income. No doubt some do get in who should not but we feel that we are taking every reasonable precaution against it.

There is danger that we may be led into giving too much of our time and attention to the more brilliant and striking results of the operative program as carried out in the clinic, whereas I believe much the most important and vital part of our work is educational, for the educational propaganda reaches many more children and produces greater and more far reaching results. We shall therefore for the present at least, have the school dentist on duty give but one morning a week to the clinic, the other morning being devoted to examinations in the schools. In this way the dentists will come in contact with a far greater number of children and their parents will receive a detailed statement from him as to the exact condition of the teeth of the children.

Early in the year with a view to making the educational side of our work as broad as possible we obtained films from the Department of Hygiene of the State Board of Health, teaching some of the truths of oral hygiene in a very striking and interesting way and these were run for a week at the Old Colony Theatre by courtesy of the management; also we are indebted to the Plymouth Cordage Company for showing them at their Saturday afternoon performance for the children.

As there have been difficulties in the way of getting children in from the north part of the town to the clinic

rooms, Miss White, the dental hygienist, has been giving one day a week to cleaning at the Hedge school. The equipment there, however, was unsanitary and the old foot-power engine which she was obliged to run made her work very difficult. Recognizing the necessity for it the committee has purchased a fountain cuspidor and electric engine. Both are second hand but have been put in good condition and when installed will not only make the work of the hygienist easier but enable her to do more and better work.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC, 1922

Dr. J. Holbrook Shaw,
School Physician, Plymouth, Mass.

Dear Dr. Shaw:

I hereby submit my report of the work done at the School Dental Clinic during the year 1922.

1. Number of patients examined	1,000
2. Number of temporary extractions,	355
3. Number of permanent extractions,	127
4. Number of pulp treatments (temporary),	4
5. Number of pulp treatments (permanent),	45
6. Number of fillings,	224
a. amalgam,	105
b. amalgam with cement base,	64
c. Cement,	94
d. porcelain,	8
e. gutta percha,	3
7. Number of "cleanings"	1,019
8. Number of operations (total),	3,066
9. Number of patients,	1,468
10. Number of new patients,	514
11. Number of dismissals,	125
12. Number of operating hours,	554

Much has been done this year not only to remove dental defects among the school children of Plymouth but what is more worth while to teach the children the importance of the care of the teeth.

As there are so many children needing dental attention we are unable as yet to treat any teeth, so must, if a tooth is badly decayed, extract it. I wish to urge the parents to keep watch of their children's "back teeth." The first permanent molar tooth comes at the age of six years. At this age it is the last tooth on either side of the jaw, upper and lower. If this tooth is lost it will never be replaced and as it is the "key stone" to the dental arch, causing the other permanent teeth to come straight, it is necessary to preserve it. We have to extract this tooth for a great many children because the parents deeming it a first tooth, have neglected to attend to it. Parents should watch the children when they are brushing their teeth and see that they brush the back teeth as well as the front. All children have had the tooth-brush drill and understand how to brush their teeth. It is necessary that the teeth should come regularly to their proper positions so that they may come together accurately and allow thorough mastication of the food. If any of the permanent teeth are lost the food cannot be as thoroughly prepared for the stomach and digestive troubles may arise.

In order to stimulate interest in the care of the teeth, I have used charts and awarded buttons, brushes, tooth-paste, etc., to those children who brush their teeth regularly every day. Each child is examined once a month by me and given credit due him or her. I find it necessary to use these methods to obtain the best results. Children will not work for a distant goal called "Health," there must be some immediate reward in view as an incentive. I can honestly say that there has been a great improvement in the mouths of the school children of Plymouth.

At the annual convention of the National Dental Association at Los Angeles, California, the Plymouth School Department's Dental Clinic was favorably commented upon by a worker of the Mass. State Department of Health, as one of the best and most up to date for municipalities of its size in the country.

We are glad to know that those who are best qualified to judge approve of us but we must not let that approval make us too well satisfied with ourselves to do better. To those of us who realize how little all we do really is compared with the great need, a dentist working two mornings a week does not seem enough. May the time soon come when there will be a dentist at work in the clinic every morning.

EXPENDITURES OF DENTAL CLINIC, 1922.

Telephone,	\$21 96
Electric Light,	19 78
Rent,	280 00
Laundry,	52 70
S. S. White, supplies,	95 81
S. H. Reynolds, supplies,	37 38
G. Crimming, supplies,	2 30
Mr. Steidle, janitor,	88 00
Tooth brushes,	80 70
G. White, miscellaneous,	8 60
Repairing,	21 20
Cooper Drug Co.,	4 62
Printing,	29 70
Towels,	5 00
Curtains, Adams Co.,	.
W. Snow,	7 00

\$756 48

Salary of dentists,	701 60
Salary of Dental Hygienist,	1,280 00
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	\$1,981 60

Money taken in at clinics:

For admissions,	\$134 95	
For tooth brushes,	31 60	
For cups,	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$169 05

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) GLADYS WHITE,

Dental Hygienist.

SCHOOL NURSE

In the report for last year attention was called to State Commissioner Kelly's keen analysis of the development of the public health movement in which he characterizes the present as the era of hygiene now just beginning and destined to be by far the most beneficial in its effect upon the race. The central idea today is that the individual man, woman and child instead of being compelled to conform to certain arbitrary health laws as heretofore must be taught how to keep himself or herself well. The keynote of the age in public health work is then to be Education and therefore Cooperation.

The Modern Health Crusade is national in its scope, over 4,000,000 schools having been enrolled since it was first introduced by the National Tuberculosis Association a few years ago, and it has received the unqualified endorsement of the National Educational Association.

It appeals to the imagination of the child and helps him

form health habits while he is learning to understand the reason for them but perhaps the strongest factor in the sweeping success which the Crusade has had, has been the opportunity which it affords for the exercise of the spirit of competition which is so easily aroused in every normal child.

Feeling that the Crusade is in harmony with modern ideas on public health, it has been introduced in our schools under the direction of the school nurse, the equipment being provided from a small sum of money which the school physician has at his disposal for health work. The work which the nurse has been doing under the head of "nutrition classes" is now included in the Crusade which requires the weighing and measuring of pupils, and those habits of life which she has been teaching in trying to overcome the effects of malnutrition are now acquired through the daily chores which are the vital part of the movement. Hence the Crusade is supplementary and adjuvant to the work which has already been done. The larger grade schools now have bulletin boards upon which the nurse places the weight charts of those who are under-nourished. The normal weight for each child is indicated on his or her chart by a red star and it is interesting to watch the gradual and sometimes interrupted ascent of the weight line towards the goal. This is a great stimulus to effort.

Although all the larger buildings have been equipped with weighing scales for some time, the children in the smaller schools did not receive the benefit of the weighing and measuring which has proved so effective in improving the condition of the under-nourished. This has been remedied by the purchase by the School Department of portable scales which the nurse carries about with her and sets up at any school where she wishes to use them.

During the summer the nurse's car was put in good condition mechanically and repainted, both of which it needed

very badly as it is continuously in use ten months in the year in all kinds of weather. In our large township with widely scattered schools, the efficiency of the nurse would be greatly reduced without a car.

The school physician wishes to gratefully acknowledge the assistance rendered by Miss Collins, director of physical education, who has done much to lighten the burden of the school nurse by taking over the adjustment of school desks and seats and otherwise generously assisted in the health program.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE, 1923.

Dr. J. Holbrook Shaw,
School Physician, Plymouth, Mass.

Dear Dr. Shaw:

I hereby submit a report of the work done during the year:

Number of school visits,	645
Number of home visits,	512
Number of treatments in school,	1,694
Number of pupils inspected,	6,038
Contagious diseases found in homes,	38
Contagious diseases found in schools,	156
Referred to physicians,	47
Operated at Jordan Hospital for A. and T.,	30
Others taken to hospitals,	9

During the year, physicians have kindly continued giving their services for the correction of diseases of the eye and ear, and in operating for diseased tonsils and adenoids. In October, the Modern Health Crusade, which is a system of training in good health habits was introduced into the schools here, the work being done by the children from the third to sixth grades. Pupils are enrolled as "pages" and

become successively Squire, Knight and Knight Banneret. The requirements are the performance of health chores and the recording of the performance on "score cards" which are kept at home. A good number of children have already shown a decided improvement in health, and general appearance, and some who were from five to fifteen pounds underweight, have gained from four to thirteen pounds. A simple form of score card is also being kept in the first and second grades, under the supervision of the teachers, going to bed early, being one of the requirements to earn a reward.

With the cooperation of parents, in seeing that their children perform, and faithfully record their health scores, good health habits will be formed, which will result in improved physical condition of the child, better attendance at school, and also aid in the prevention of disease. It would be a great help, if teachers could give a short time every day to the teaching of health, and the pupils be given credits as for their regular school work.

(Signed) SUSIE MACDONALD, R. N.

School Nurse.

HEALTH PLAY AND "HEALTH CLOWN."

On June 23rd, a health play entitled, "The Fountain of Health," was very creditably given in the Cordage Auditorium by the pupils of the Hedge school, before a large audience most of whom were children. The importance of good food and the part each food plays in building up the body was interestingly shown as well as the necessity for sufficient sleep, exercise in the open air, and other health habits. If one may judge by the eager attentive faces of the audience the lessons of the play were not lost upon them.

Much credit is due the principal and teachers of the Hedge school for the successful presentation of a play which served so well to compliment the efforts of the school physician and nurse.

Through the efforts of the Public Health Committee of the Woman's Club we received a visit from a "health clown" who used his instant and tumultuous popularity with the children to good advantage by driving home a number of timely health hints. On Friday, May 12th, he gave two performances at the Cornish School, and one at the High school for grade pupils in the South part of the Town. Saturday morning he went to the Manomet school and a large number of children at the North enjoyed a performance in the afternoon at the Cordage Auditorium.

DUST ON PLAY GROUNDS.

Last fall there was more complaint than usual from teachers, of the clouds of dust which irritated the mucous membranes of the eyes, nose and throat and all but obscured the children at times. It seemed as though something should be done to abate this nuisance, and arrangements were made with Mr. Blackmer of the Street Department to spray the troublesome playgrounds at the Cornish, Knapp and Hedge schools with a light oil at the week end so that they might have a day or two to dry before using them. This proved not to be an unmixed blessing for soon after the oil was applied, it rained, creating a very unsatisfactory condition, especially at the Hedge school where there were large pools of water and oil. If after the oil was applied a coating of sand had been spread over it, the results would have been much better, particularly if there were no rain for some time.

This method of relieving the dust nuisance in the fall is worth a further trial but the oil should be applied about the middle of August, giving plenty of time for it to dry out before school opens. A still better solution of the problem would be to spread fine crushed stone and cinders on the playgrounds. This material is in use at the Mt. Pleasant school and is very satisfactory as it does not pack down hard, but offers a yielding surface free from dust.

LIGHT IN THE SCHOOL ROOM.

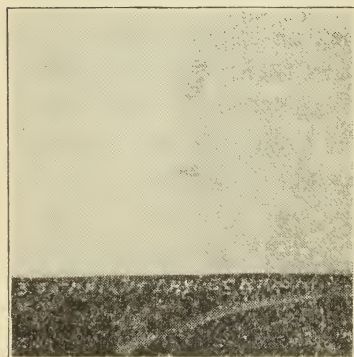
The State assumes grave responsibilities when it compels growing children to remain confined in school rooms five hours a day five days in the week for forty weeks in the year. It devolves upon the School Committee in whose immediate charge the children are placed to see that the conditions in their school rooms are as favorable to the normal development of the child as possible. Even under such conditions the constant demand upon the eyesight of the child has a well recognized tendency to produce myopia or nearsight and in poorly lighted school rooms this tendency becomes a positive menace to normal sight. During the winter months when the days are short and particularly on stormy days there is a very rapid loss of light during the afternoon so that by the time the pupils are dismissed the light in the school rooms is greatly diminished.



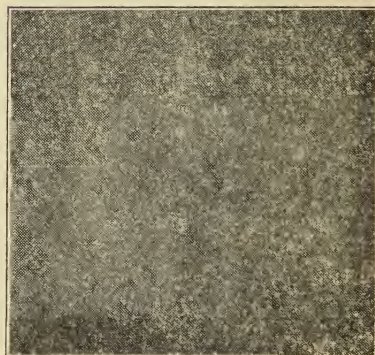
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The illustration gives the results of an experiment the purpose of which was to show the relative intensity of the light in school rooms in the middle of the day and about closing time.

Each square is a reproduction of the photograph of a sheet of white paper placed on a pupil's desk in a school room. The camera used was supported on a frame so constructed that it cast as little shadow on the paper as possible (none can be detected on the prints), and operated from a distance by a thread. All exposures were made for 50 seconds and on the same roll of films. The exposed films were all developed together and all the printing was done in one frame at the same time so that the squares as reproduced should give us a true idea of the relative intensity of the light at each exposure.

No. 1 was taken at 1.15 p. m. in a well lighted school room with a northern exposure, the sun shining on the snow outside, and may be taken as a standard of excellent lighting for the purpose of comparison. No. II was taken at 1 p. m. on the same day in another room, low in the walls and poorly lighted. The light out-side was so strong at this time of day that even the poor room got a very good light, the print showing only a shade darker than No. I. No. III was taken at 3.50 p. m. on the same clear day in the same room as No. II and shows a very decided loss of light. No. IV was taken at 4.20 p. m. in the same room on a cloudy day. This of course is after school hours but it serves well to show the rapid loss of light in the school room on a cloudy winter afternoon.

That we need to make every reasonable effort to increase the amount of light in the school rooms is obvious and there is one simple and very effective method of doing it. Ceilings when properly whitened reflect a large amount of

light from the windows and add materially to their efficiency, but ceilings very quickly become blackened and absorb light instead of reflecting it. If each summer all the ceilings were inspected and every one not in perfect condition whitened, the improvement due to added cheerfulness and relief from eyestrain would more than pay for the expense. Light yet restful tints for the walls are also important but not as important as the ceilings, which should be the first to receive attention.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE.

As was the case in the previous year, 1921, so again this year during the early months, the incidence of scarlet fever increased to the proportions of an epidemic, twenty-three cases being reported by the Board of Health for the month of February but the disease did not become as prevalent as the year before and soon died out.

Chicken-pox has been very prevalent during the past year, especially so in the later months. Though as a rule not a serious disease, it has seriously interfered with school attendance, the more so on account of the long period of incubation and the necessity for excluding exposed children from school during that period.

Small-pox is becoming more prevalent in the country at large, the United States Public Health Service having reported seventy-two cases and twenty-one deaths for the week ending November 11th. This alarming increase in the disease is attributed to indifference and hostility toward vaccination and the authorities are urging every one to see that they and their dependents are properly protected.

The following statistics for the year have been taken from the monthly reports of the school physician:

Number of examinations,	3,706
Number of notices of diseases and defects sent to parents,	659
Number of pupils referred to nurse,	225
Number of permits signed by school physician,	1,073
Number of permits signed by other physicians,	205
Number of pupils temporarily excluded,	63

Respectfully submitted,

J. HOLBROOK SHOW, M. D.,

School Physician.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Mr. Horace F. Turner,
 Superintendent of Schools,
 Dear Sir:

I respectfully submit the following report from January 1, 1922 to January 1, 1923.

	Truancy	Sickness	Absentee	Total
Burton School	2	3	9	14
Cold Spring School	0	5	1	6
Cornish School	4	9	4	17
Hedge School	7	24	5	36
High School	5	27	15	47
Knapp School	10	21	12	43
Lincoln Street School	2	0	1	3
Manomet School	1	0	0	1
Mount Pleasant School	2	4	3	9
Nathaniel Morton School	22	87	121	230
Oak Street School	0	1	3	4
South Street School	1	4	1	6
Spooner Street School	0	1	0	1
	56	186	175	417
Cases investigated for Superintendent's Office				4
Employed Certificates investigated				15
Number of homes visited				436
Visits to schools				23
Total number of investigations				459
Found on street and taken to school				5

Taken to court for keeping child from school	1
Habitual school offenders brought to court	4

I wish to thank the Superintendent and teachers for the kind assistance which they have given me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN ARMSTRONG, Attendance Officer.

COST OF SCHOOLS—A COMPARISON

Do You Know:

That there were 1090 passenger automobiles registered from Plymouth in 1922 besides 351 used for commercial purposes?

That it is a conservative estimate to say that the average cost of the 1090 passenger automobiles was \$1,000 each and their average life five years, making a total outlay of \$1,090,000 or an annual outlay of \$218,000?

That it is a very conservative estimate to say that the average annual cost of running each one of these 1090 passenger automobiles was \$300, or for running all of them \$327,000?

That combining these two amounts we are forced to the very conservative conclusion that the private citizens of Plymouth of their own individual free will spent \$545,000 on their own passenger automobiles? (It would be interesting to know the increased outlay for maintenance of streets made necessary for these automobiles.)

That the total cost of schools for the same year in Plymouth was less than \$210,000, or \$335,000 less than was spent on passenger automobiles?

That riding in automobiles and education of our boys and girls for living now and through years to come are both very essential to our welfare as a community?

That it is quite worth while that we consider the relative importance of passenger automobiles and education in our account of expense and net returns?

In closing this report I wish to state that it has not been my intention to treat fully all of the activities of the school system. Excellent work has been done by the teachers of household economics, manual training, drawing and by the supervisors of special subjects. These branches have become established and are integral parts of the educational work of the Community.

The important question is whether there has been substantial progress in the whole system. There is abundant evidence that excellent work has been done in building up a progressive school system. It is my hope that the curve of progress will continue in an upward direction.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE F. TURNER,
Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1923.

Schools will be closed on the days indicated by bold faced figures.

JANUARY

Sun.		7	14	21	28
Mon.	1	8	15	22	29
Tues.	2	9	16	23	30
Wed.	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs.	4	11	18	25	
Fri.	5	12	19	26	
Sat.	6	13	20	27	

APRIL.

Sun.	1	8	15	22	29
Mon.	2	9	16	23	30
Tues.	3	10	17	24	
Wed.	4	11	18	25	
Thurs.	5	12	19	26	
Fri.	6	13	20	27	
Sat.	7	14	21	28	

FEBRUARY.

Sun.		4	11	18	25
Mon.		5	12	19	26
Tues.		6	13	20	27
Wed.		7	14	21	28
Thurs.	1	8	15	22	
Fri.	2	9	16	23	
Sat.	3	10	17	24	

MAY.

Sun.		6	13	20	27
Mon.		7	14	21	28
Tues.	1	8	15	22	29
Wed.	2	9	16	23	30
Thurs.	3	10	17	24	31
Fri.	4	11	18	25	
Sat.	5	12	19	26	

MARCH.

Sun.		4	11	18	25
Mon.		5	12	19	26
Tues.		6	13	20	27
Wed.		7	14	21	28
Thurs.	1	8	15	22	29
Fri.	2	9	16	23	30
Sat.	3	10	17	24	31

JUNE.

Sun.		3	10	17	24
Mon.		4	11	18	25
Tues.		5	12	19	26
Wed.		6	13	20	27
Thurs.		7	14	21	28
Fri.	1	8	15	22	29
Sat.	2	9	16	23	30

SEPTEMBER.

Sun.	2	9	16	23	30
Mon.	3	10	17	24	
Tues.	4	11	18	25	
Wed.	5	12	19	26	
Thurs.	6	13	20	27	
Fri.	7	14	21	28	
Sat.	1	8	15	22	29

NOVEMBER.

Sun.		4	11	18	25
Mon.		5	12	19	26
Tues.		6	13	20	27
Wed.		7	14	21	28
Thurs.	1	8	15	22	29
Fri.	2	9	16	23	30
Sat.	3	10	17	24	

OCTOBER.

Sun.		7	14	21	28
Mon.	1	8	15	22	29
Tues.	2	9	16	23	30
Wed.	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs.	4	11	18	25	
Fri.	5	12	19	26	
Sat.	6	13	20	27	

DECEMBER.

Sun.	2	9	16	23	30
Mon.	3	10	17	24	31
Tues.	4	11	18	25	
Wed.	5	12	19	26	
Thurs.	6	13	20	27	
Fri.	7	14	21	28	
Sat.	1	8	15	22	29

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

Plymouth, Mass., 1922—1923.

High School.

George C. Marsden, Principal, algebra	39 Russell Street
Claire Carroll, history, science	17 Pleasant Street
Marjorie Darling, commercial	112 Sandwich Street
Frank E. Fash, science	152 Sandwich Street
Paulyle W. Flavell, French	123 Court Street
Helen Getchell, English	4 Sever Street
Dorothy Goodenough, history, science	19 Franklin Street
Helen Johnson, commercial	13 Whiting Street
Miriam Johnson, English	Bay View Avenue
Elizabeth Mackenzie, commercial dept.	2 Sever Street
Anne M. Mackinnon, science, algebra	27 Russell Street
Gertrude E. Maertins, Latin	13 Whiting Street
Elizabeth Marsh, domestic science	13 Whiting Street
Edward J. Mongan, English, civics	19 Franklin Street
Eleanor H. Sander, Spanish, French	17 Pleasant Street
Marjorie White, mathematics	22 Allerton Street
Edwin B. Young, agriculture	103 Warren Avenue

Junior High School.

Katharine A. O'Brien, Principal	23 Nelson Street
Edith Anderson, mathematics, civics, history	
	11 Russell Street
Sadie H. Barrett, English, history	35 Mayflower Street

Mary A. Burke, English, geography, music	35 Mayflower Street
Helen Carroll, mathematics, English	19 Franklin Street
Gladys Cobb, French, Latin, English	11 Russell Street
Beatrice Curran, science, mathematics	
physical training	Warren Avenue
Mary Dolan, mathematics, drawing	
penmanship	11 Lothrop Street
Ellen M. Downey, mathematics, English	
history	19 Oak Street
Eva Dubuque, English, hygiene, music	13 Whiting Street
Hazel Ross, domestic science	13 Whiting Street
Marion Stevens, geography, history,	
penmanship	23 Fremont Street
Jennie Stratton, manual training	25 Mayflower Street
Katharine A. White, bookkeeping, type-	
writing, penmanship	182 Court Street

Hedge School.

Elizabeth H. Sampson, Principal	Clifford Road
Hazel Bates, Grade I	30 Pleasant Street
Olive B. Clark, Grade II	48 Allerton Street
Florence B. Corey, Grade V	133 Court Street
Mary G. Frawley, Grade IV	29 Stafford Street
Lucy L. Hildreth, Grade III	133 Court Street
Cora M. Irwin, Grade I	2 Sever Street
Ella F. Robinson, Grade III	21 Vernon Street
Mildred A. Soule, Grade II	23 Fremont Street
Adelaide A. Swazey, Grade IV	21 Vernon Street
Ethel D. Tolman, Grade III	21 Chilton Street

Spooner Street School

Fannie Ortolani, ungraded	8 Cherry Street
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Knapp School

William I. Whitney, Principal, Grade VI	6 North Street
Marion Babeock, Overage	23 Samoset Street
Annie S. Burgess, Grade III	37 Union Street
Margaret L. Christie, Grade II	401 Court Street
Lydia E. Holmes, Grade V	261 Court Street
Alice F. Jordan, Grade VI	70 Sandwich Street
Maude H. Lermond, Grade VI	79 Court Street
Helen F. Perrier, Grade IV	12 Washington Street
Susan M. Quinn, Grade V	147 Main Street, Kingston
Ethel B. Sollis, Grade I	Pembroke Road
Flora C. Stevens, Grade I	55 Main Street
Katherine G. Zahn, Grade V	320 Court Street

Cold Spring School.

Gertrude C. Bennett, Grade II	12 Stafford Street
Mabel E. Douglas, Grade III	5 Lothrop Street

Oak Street School.

Agnes V. Eaton, Grades I and II	21 Vernon Street
Bertha H. Smith, Grades III and IV	21 Vernon Street

Cornish School.

Addie L. Bartlett, Principal, Grade VI	28 Allerton Street
Frances I. Bagnell, Grade VI	5 Spring St., No. Plymouth
M. Etta Cooney, Grade V	19 High Street
Helen Holmes, Grade II	28 Chilton Street
Helen Klocker, Grade I	9 Sever Street
Margaret Longfellow, Grade III	24 Allerton Street
Charlotte E. Lovering, Grade VI	12 Sever Street
Jean Murray, Grade VI,	16 Brewster Street
Helen E. Shurtleff, Grade I	131½ Court Street

Burton School.

Alice Bishop, Grade V	12 Sever Street
Bertha E. McNaught, Grade III	33 Russell Street
Teresa A. Rogan, Grade IV	Newfields Street
Flora Shurtleff, Grade IV	131½ Court Street

Mt. Pleasant School.

Louie R. Tripp, Principal, Grade VI	15 Vernon Street
Alice M. Cagney, Grade II	36 Mayflower Street
Grace L. Knight, Grade V	133 Court Street
Helen H. Linnell, Grade IV	72 Warren Avenue
Nellie L. Shaw, Grade III	23 Fremont Street
A. Ruth Toombs, Grade I	19 Mayflower Street

Individual School.

Mary L. Jackson, Ungraded	9 Sever Street
Dorothy Burnett, Ungraded	10 Clyfton Street

Lincoln Street Primary.

Florace Marden, Grade I	14 Jefferson Street
Grace Moor, Grade II	110 Sandwich Street

Alden Street School.

Flora A. Keene, Grade I	5 Washington Street
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Wellingsley.

Helen S. Hall, Grades I-IV	13 Whiting Street
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Cliff Street School.

Gertrude Zahn, Grades I-VI	320 Court Street
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Chiltonville Primary.

Florence Andrews, Grades I-VI

4 Lewis Street

Russell Mills School.

Rose B. Delano, Grades I-VI

Kingston, Mass.

Manomet School.

Estella Butland, Grades I, II and III 4 Massasoit Street

Mary E. Robbins, Grades IV, V, VI, VII 102 Allerton Street

Cedarville School.

Theresa E. D. Pope, Grades I-VIII Bournedale, Mass, rfd

Special Teachers.

Nellie W. Shaw, Music Supervisor

59 Everett Street, Middleboro

Matilda Olsson, Drawing Supervisor 70 Sandwich Street

Grace Blackmer, Sewing Supervisor 5 Warren Avenue

Alice Collins, Director of Physical Education

30 Pleasant Street

Medical Department.

J. Holbrook Shaw, M. D., physician

43 Court Street

Susie Macdonald, nurse

Allerton Street

Gladys S. White, dental hygienist

North Abington

Office.

Horace F. Turner, Supt. of Schools

100 Allerton Street

Alice Murphy, clerk

167 Court Street

Janitors.

Charles Coates, High School	237 Sandwich Street
Benj. F. Walker, Junior High School	6 Washington Street
William H. Raymond, Mt. Pleasant	9 Robinson Street
Frank Lanman, Cornish and Burton	Allerton Street
Sebastian Riedel, Knapp	23½ Atlantic Street
Leo Callahan, Hedge and Spooner	24 Hall Street
Nelson Pero, Alden St. and Cold Spring	Standish Avenue
George F. Merrill, Oak Street	Oak Street
George A. Burgess, Lincoln and South Sts.	6 South Street
Warren Rickard, Wellingsley	223 Sandwich Street
Edith Boutin, Chiltonville Primary	Clifford Road
Frederick Nickerson, Russell Mills	Russell Mills
William Cleveland, Manomet	Manomet
John S. Dunn, Cedarville	Cedarville, rfd
Elliot F. Swift, Cliff Street	Sandwich Road

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Report of Advisory and Finance Committee

TOWN OF PLYMOUTH

FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TO BE HELD MARCH 24, 1923

Article 5. To make the necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes, and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient.

NOTE:—The Committee wishes to express its thanks to the various departments for their co-operation. The examination of the expenditures for the past year has satisfied the Committee that the Town's money has been carefully spent. The Committee feels, too, that the amounts asked for are reasonable. Its recommendations, therefore, do not vary greatly from the estimates submitted by the various departments.

The Committee recommends the following appropriations for the various Departments:

	Recommended By Departments	Advisory Committee
Selectmen's Department,	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00
Accounting Department,	1,700.00	1,700.00
Treasury Department,	1,500.00	1,500.00
Tax Collector's Department,	2,150.00	2,150.00
Assessors' Department,	5,000.00	5,000.00
Law Department,	800.00	800.00
Town Clerk's Department,	1,550.00	1,550.00
Engineering Department,	900.00	900.00
Street Line Survey,	150.00	150.00
Planning Board,	100.00	100.00
Election and Registration,	600.00	600.00
Maintenance of Town House,	2,000.00	2,150.00
Police Department,	17,000.00	17,000.00
Fire Department,	29,489.00	28,664.00
Sealing Weights and Measures,	1,900.00	1,900.00
Moth Suppression,	5,000.00	5,000.00
Tree Warden's Department,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Forest Warden's Department,	3,500.00	3,500.00
Inland Fisheries	200.00	200.00
Plymouth County Trustees for Aid to Agriculture,	250.00	250.00

Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance,	6,982.08	6,982.08
Health Department,	17,000.00	17,000.00
Public Sanitaries,	1,900.00	1,900.00
Sewers,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Prince Street Sewer,	4,000.00	.....
Roads and Bridges,	40,000.00	40,000.00
New Stone Crusher,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Resurfacing on Court Street,	5,000.00	5,000.00
Court Street Drain,	5,000.00	5,000.00
Alden Street Drain,	1,500.00	1,500.00
Water Street Bridge,	1,500.00	1,500.00
Sidewalks,	3,500.00	3,500.00
Sidewalks—Granolithic,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Snow and Ice Removal,	5,000.00	5,000.00
Street Sprinkling,	6,000.00	6,000.00
Street Lighting,	14,500.00	14,500.00
Harbor Master,	150.00	150.00
Pensions for Town Laborers,	1,500.00	1,500.00
Poor Department,	17,000.00	17,000.00
Mothers' Aid,	4,500.00	4,500.00
Military Aid,	263.50	263.50
Soldiers' Relief,	7,306.32	7,306.32
School Departments,	214,285.00	214,285.00
School Department for 1922 Bills,	2,729.45	2,729.45
Plymouth Public Library (Including Dog Tax, \$1,439.12),	5,000.00	5,000.00
Manomet Public Library,	500.00	500.00
Park Department,	3,300.00	3,300.00
Park Dep't for cutting wood in Park,	300.00	300.00
Training Green,	300.00	300.00
Stephens' Field,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Stephens' Field Wall,	100.00	100.00
Public Camping Place,	500.00	200.00
Providing Headquarters for Plymouth Post, No. 40, American Legion,	600.00	600.00
Providing Headquarters for United Spanish War Veterans,	150.00	150.00
Sexton,	150.00	150.00
Memorial Day,	350.00	350.00
July 4th and Forefathers' Day,	1,200.00	900.00
Band Concerts,	500.00	500.00
Miscellaneous Account,	4,000.00	4,000.00
Reserve Account (from Reserve Overlay),	5,000.00	5,000.00
Water Department, Maintenance,	19,000.00	19,000.00
Water Department Construction,	8,000.00	8,000.00
Oak Grove and Vine Hill Cemeteries,	10,000.00	10,000.00
Oak Grove and Vine Hill Cemeteries (For Alteration and Additions to Building),	1,800.00	2,800.00
Burial Hill Cemetery,	1,700.00	1,700.00
Ciltonville, Manomet, South Pond, and Cedarville Cemeteries,	300.00	300.00
Town Debt and Interest,	44,000.00	44,000.00
	<hr/> \$555,555.35	<hr/> \$551,280.35

Article 6. To take such action as the Town may see fit in aid of the Plymouth Public Library.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$5,000.00, including the Dog Tax of 1922, amounting to \$1,439.12, be appropriated for the maintenance of the Plymouth Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article 8. To see what appropriation the Town will make for the care and improvement of the various parks and of the Training Green.

The Committee recommends the following appropriations: Park Department, \$3,300.00; Cutting Wood in Parks, \$300.00; Training Green, \$300.00.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding one thousand (1,000) dollars for the maintenance and improvement of the Stephens' Field Playground.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the maintenance and improvement of the Stephens' Field Playground.

Article 10. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred (100) dollars for construction of sea wall at the Stephens' Field Playground.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the Stephen's Field Sea Wall.

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding three hundred and fifty (350) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$350.00 be appropriated for defraying the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars and choose a Town Director, as provided in Section 45, Chapter 128, of the General Acts 1921, and act thereon.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$250.00, for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, and choose a Town Director.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote that the adjourned annual meetings of the Town of Plymouth be held on the evening of Monday following the fourth Saturday of March. (By petition.)

The Committee recommends that the Town take no action under this Article.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the votes passed under Article Seven at a Town Meeting held on October 11, 1919, providing for the erection of a Town Hall as a Memorial Building and making an appropriation of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars therefor.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Twelve at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating sixty thousand (60,000) dollars for the construction of a Memorial Building.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article Fourteen at the Town Meeting held March 25, 1922, appropriating one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars for a Municipal Auditorium.

Article 17. To hear the report of the Committee on the Veterans' Memorial Building to take such action thereon as the Town may deem expedient and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend the vote passed at the Annual Town Meeting March 25, 1922, under Article Fourteen of the warrant for said meeting, by striking out the figures, "\$125,000.00" wherever the same appear in said vote and substituting in place thereof the words, "Two Hundred Thousand Dollars" so that said vote shall read as follows:

"That the Town appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars to erect and equip with suitable seats a municipal auditorium on the Lothrop lot now owned by the Town on Court Street, said building to be constructed substantially in accordance with plans submitted and now before this meeting; that the construction of said building shall be under the direction of the Selectmen and a committee of five to be appointed by the Selectmen. The Selectmen and said committee shall procure bids for the erection of such a building on the plans submitted and specifications to be furnished, by advertising therefor in the usual man-

ner, and are hereby authorized to sign a contract in the name of the Town for the erection of said building at a price not to exceed the amount of the appropriation therefor and that any contract so made shall cover the cost of the building, 1,500 seats and architects and engineering fees.”

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town to carry into effect any action the Town may take under the preceeding article, Article Eighteen of this warrant.

The Committee recommends that Articles 14-15-16-18 and 19, being closely related, be considered together. (Article 17 is in the hands of a Special Committee.)

The Town has voted to erect a Memorial Town Hall at a cost of \$300,000.00. It has also voted to erect a Municipal Auditorium at a cost of \$125,000.00. No voter wants or expects the Town to erect the two buildings. It seems, however, that the large majority of the voters believe that a building with a large hall, such as is contemplated by both plans already acted upon, is necessary for the needs of the Town.

Many, including the Committee, believe the Town is under obligation to erect a building at a cost of approximately \$300,000. As a practical matter the Committee believes that neither of said buildings can be or will be erected without the co-operation of the factions in interest.

The Committee, therefore, invited the Memorial Town Hall Committee and Judge Davis to discuss with them the plans already submitted for the purpose of working out, if possible, a plan that would incorporate the salient features of both plans. Time was too short to work out a plan for this meeting, but the Memorial Town Hall Committee and Judge Davis have expressed their willingness to co-operate with the belief that they can work out a plan that will be acceptable to a large majority of the voters. It is expected that the Memorial Town Hall Committee will present such a plan at a Special Town Meeting in the near future, and the Advisory Committee, therefore, recommends that no action be taken under these Articles.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-two of the Acts of 1921, entitled “An act authorizing the Town of Plymouth to erect a wharf and public landing.”

The Committee recommends that the Town accept Chapter 162 of the Acts of 1922, entitled “An act authorizing the Town of Plymouth to erect a wharf and public landing.”

Article 21. To hear the report of the Relocation Committee appointed according to the vote under Article 6 of the Special Town Meeting held on January 29, 1921.

This article referred to a special committee.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to erect a wharf or pier on the property now owned by the Town and property to be acquired, on Water Street opposite South Park Avenue, extending northerly to a point opposite Lothrop Street on land of Lewis Goodall, and to make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends that the Town erect a wharf or pier according to this article and make an appropriation of \$130,000 therefor. (Messrs. Burns, Royal, Edes, Parsons, and Richards, dissenting.)

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to issue bonds or notes of the Town to carry into effect such action as the Town may take under Article Twenty-two of this warrant.

The Committee recommends that the Town issue bonds or notes to carry into effect Article 22.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the taking of such land lying between the easterly line of Water Street and low water mark as may be necessary to carry into effect any action the Town may take under Articles Twenty-two and Twenty-three of this warrant.

The Committee recommends the taking of such land lying between the easterly line of Water Street, and low water mark, as may be necessary to carry into effect Articles 22 and 23.

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept and allow the taking of certain land by the Park Commissioners, in fee by eminent domain, for park purposes as reported to the Town; said land being a parcel of land on the northerly side of Town Brook and lying easterly from Main Street Extension, so-called, and make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends that the Park Commissioners be instructed to ascertain how much said land can be purchased for and to report to the next Special Town Meeting.

Article 26. To see if the Town will accept and allow a layout of part of Newfields Street, from Summer Street to a stone bound southerly of Jackson's Lane, as laid out by the Selectmen and reported to the Town, said layout to supersede all previous laying out of that part of the way.

The Committee recommends that the Town accept and allow the layout of Newfields Street as specified in the above article.

Article 27. To see if the Town will make an appropriation not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars for resurfacing on Court Street.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$5,000.00 for resurfacing on Court Street.

Article 28. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars for construction of a surface water drain on Court Street from Hamilton Street northerly.

The Committee recommends that a sum not exceeding \$5,000.00 be appropriated for the construction of a surface Water Drain on Court Street, northerly from Hamilton Street.

Article 29. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars for construction of a surface water drain for Alden Street.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$1,500.00 for construction of a surface Water Drain on Alden Street.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding four thousand (4,000) dollars for construction of a sewer on Prince Street, easterly from Court Street, and on Cordage Street northerly from Prince Street.

The Committee recommends that the Town take no action under this article.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars for rebuilding the bridge over Town Brook on Water Street.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for rebuilding the bridge over Town Brook on Water Street.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars for macadamizing of Sandwich Road from the present end of macadam, near the entrance of the Jordan Hospital, to Bramhall's Corner in Chiltonville. (By petition.)

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate \$10,000.00 for macadamizing Sandwich Road from a point near the entrance of the Jordan Hospital, southerly towards Bramhall's Corner.

Article 33. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for laying a bituminous macadam or other suitable hard surface on the Beaver Dam Road in Manomet, from the State Highway to the bridge over Beaver Dam Brook. (By petition.)

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for laying a bituminous macadam or other suitable hard surface, on the Beaver Dam Road from the State Highway, towards the bridge over Beaver Dam Brook.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of eighteen hundred (1800) dollars for alterations and additions to the building in Vine Hills Cemetery.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$2,800.00 be appropriated for consistent alterations and additions to the building in Vine Hills Cemetery.

Article 35. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to investigate and report at some future meeting of the Town as to the desirability of the Town contracting with the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, for the care and maintenance, by the Town, of the land acquired and the structures erected by said Commission along the waterfront and Water Street in Plymouth, constituting the Water Front Improvements, so-called.

The Committee recommends that the subject matter thereof be referred to the Selectmen to examine and report as to the advisability of the Town entering into a contract for the future care and maintenance of land of the Commonwealth bounded by Water Street and the structures thereon, and report to the Town Meeting hereafter to be held, with their recommendations thereon.

Article 36. To see if the Town will contract with the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, for the future care and maintenance, by the Town, of the land acquired and the structures erected thereon, between School Street and Burial Hill and South Russell Street.

The Committee recommends that the Selectmen be authorized to contract in the name and behalf of the Town with the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, for the future care and maintenance of the land lying between School Street and the Burial Hill and South Russell Street and the Burial Hill in Plymouth, which was acquired by the Commonwealth, and the retaining wall enclosing the same, now forming part of Burial Hill.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for Post 40, American Legion, a sum not exceeding six hundred (600) dollars, as provided in Section 9, Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of providing headquarters for Post No. 40, American Legion, as provided in Sec. 9, Chap. 40, of the General Laws.

Article 38. To see if the Town will appropriate for the purpose of providing headquarters for the United Spanish

War Veterans a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty (\$150) dollars, as provided in Chapter 227, Acts of 1921.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the purpose of providing headquarters for the United Spanish War Veterans, as provided in Chap. 227, Acts of 1921.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to establish a public camping place as recommended by the Park Commissioners and make an appropriation for that purpose not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated for a public camping place at the foot of Nelson Street, as recommended by the Park Commissioners.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars for public band concerts, said money to be disbursed by the Board of Selectmen.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for public band concerts.

Article 41. To see if the Town will request the School Committee to acquire the land and buildings thereon, or any part of the premises, as bounded by North Russell Street, land of the Inhabitants of the County of Plymouth, South Russell Street and land of the Inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, for the purpose of a recreation centre. (By petition.)

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 42. To see if the Town will discontinue as a Town way, as much of South Russell Street as lies westerly of a line, which is in line with the stone wall easterly of the Cornish School Building, so-called, extending southerly across said South Russell Street.

The Committee recommends that the Town discontinue as a Town way, that part of South Russell Street described in the above article.

Article 43. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen, in the event the Town votes to discontinue a portion of South Russell Street, under the proposed article, to erect a stone wall in said street in line with the stone wall which is easterly of the Cornish School Building, so-called, and make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends that in event of the Town voting to discontinue a portion of South Russell Street, that favorable action be taken under the above article and that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to widen Court Street from Allerton Street northerly to the Plymouth and Middleboro Railroad Bridge and make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends favorable action be taken on the above article.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to widen South Street from Sandwich Street to Pleasant Street, to authorize the taking of land necessary, and to make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken on the above article.

Article 46. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen as to what action it considers desirable relating to signs overhanging the sidewalks.

The Committee makes no recommendation under the above article.

Article 47. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money not exceeding twelve hundred (1200) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of July Fourth, and of an Old Home Day in connection with Forefathers' Day, said money to be expended by the Board of Selectmen according to the laws relating to such appropriations.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$900.00 be appropriated for the observance of July 4th and of an Old Home Day in connection with Forefathers' Day. Said money to be expended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to establish a voting precinct in Manomet.

The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 49. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars from the Reserve from Overlayings of Taxes to the Reserve Account in the hands of the Advisory and Finance Committee.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$5,000.00 be transferred from the reserve from Overlayings of Taxes, to the Reserve Account in the hands of the Advisory and Finance Committee.

Respectfully submitted:

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, TOWN OF PLYMOUTH,
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